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# Dear Fellow Gardeners:

Your health and happiness—both may be found in a garden.

Have a garden, because it is good for you and it is fun.

Some people garden from necessity for food; all people did that at one time, but now many people have both vegetable and flower gardens for pleasure.

Did you ever think why certain things give you pleasure—things like fishing, hunting, riding horseback, walking through the country—or gardening?

It is because for thousands of years our ancestors had to do those things of necessity, and the natural impulse to do them is still in us and craves to be expressed.

So, my friends, have a garden!

Gardening is the most undemanding of all recreations. It is challenging, but patient, and right at your door. Your plants will grow even while you sleep or go on a vacation. Some of them will live for four or five months over winter with no attention at all. But all of the plants in your garden will reward you for the attention you give them.

Civilization began in a garden, and today the peoples who have been civilized the longest are the best gardeners.

We could not live without gardens. Farms, of course, are merely an outgrowth of gardens. While some houses do not have a garden, every garden is apt to mean a happy home.

L That you may have a good garden is my earnest wish.

RECEIVE Faithfully yours,

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President

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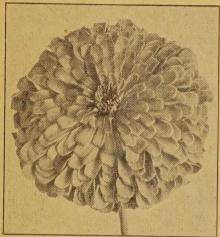
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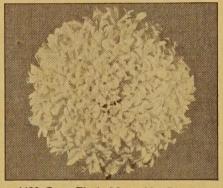


4425 Giant Tetra Zinnias Pkt. 506

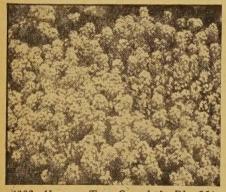
Giant Tetra Zinnias, Shades of Rose, the largest zinnias we have seen-6 in. and more across. Gloriosa Daisies, sensational blooms up to 7 in. across in golden yellow, mahogany and gorgeous bicolors. Tetra Snapdragons, large, attractively ruffled blooms in every color found in snapdragons. Crown Jewels Petunias, second generation hybrids in brightest, glistening colors ever seen in bedding petunias. Giant Fluffy Marigolds, early chrysanthemum-like blooms 3½ in. across in lively mixture of yellow, orange and golden. Tetra Snowdrift Alyssum, larger flower-heads and taller growing (10 in.) than any other white sweet alyssum. Burpeeana Extra Early Asters, extremely early, base branching plants with large, double blooms in lovely aster colors.



4397 Gloriosa Daisies Pkt. 25¢



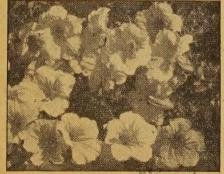
4433 Giant Fluffy Marigolds Pkt. 25¢



4002 Alyssum, Tetra Snowdrift Pkt. 25¢



4253 Giant Tetra Snapdragons Pkt. 25¢



4183 Crown Jewels Petunias Pkt. 25¢



4023 Burpeeana Extra Early Asters Pkt. 25¢

# BURPEE OFFERS THESE NEW FLOWERS FOR 1958

4442 Orange Climax Marigold Sensational Giant African F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid with huge, almost globular blooms 5 in. across. Ruffled and frilled, satiny petals of deep, brilliant orange. Plants grow 2½ to 3 ft. Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$6.00

4443 Yellow Climax Marigold Gorgeous blooms of clear, bright yellow. Similar to Orange Climax except for color. Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; ½6 oz. \$6.00

4433 Giant Fluffy Marigolds, All Colors Large, round, fluffy, double chrysanthemum-like blooms, 3 to 3½ in. across. Early; lovely for garden and cutting. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.95

4431 Yellow Fluffy Marigold 4432 Orange Fluffy Marigold 4435 Golden Fluffy Marigold

Any separate color Fluffy Marigold: Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

4434 Pygmy Marigolds, Mixed Colors Veritable mounds of the most attractive colors in the popular pygmy type, 6 to 8 in. Retain compact form.
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.90

Petite Marigolds 1958 All-America Bronze Medal Winners. Extra Dwarf, Double French Marigolds that are very early and extremely floriferous. Very compact.

3127 Petite Gold Clear, golden yellow.
3128 Petite Harmony Mahogany petals in nice contrast to gold center.

3117 Petite Orange Rich orange.
3224 Petite Mixed Above and yellow.

Any of the above Petite Marigolds: Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.00

Aster Brings a lovely new color to the American Beauty type asters—orchid-rose. Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.90

4428 Violet Peony Aster Bright violet, 4 in., fully double, peony-like flowers for midsummer cutting. Erect; 2 ft. Pkt. 40¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.90

4441 Super Frills Petunia So extremely frilled some of them have the appearance of alldoubles. Colors include salmon-pink, burgundy, mauve and white. Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; ½28 oz. \$3.50

3343 Maytime Petunia All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Large, prettily fringed flowers of light salmon-pink. I ft. Pkt. 75¢; 3 pkts. \$2.00; ½128 oz. \$6.50

3022 Sparkles Tetra Phlox Individual blooms of deep salmon-cerise, up to 13/4 in. across, in attractive clusters. 1 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.00

4439 Magic Wand Snapdragon
Tall, erect spikes, with light yellow, gracefully set flowers. Excellent for cutting.
Pkt. 50¢; ½2 oz. \$2.00; ½6 oz. \$3.75

### HEAT-RESISTANT SWEET PEAS

3102 Bashful Clear, soft creamy pink.

3106 Fountain of Youth Deepcream.

3138 Niagara Lovely shade of light blue.

3126 Santa Barbara Rich, deep rose.

3112 Sweetheart Cerise-pink on cream.

Any of the above Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas:
Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75

4426 Rosie O'Grady Zinnia New color in the Burpee Hybrid Zinnia class—soft rose shading to deep rose at center.
Pkt. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.00

of Rose Giant Tetra Zinnias, Shades of Rose Giant tetraploid zinnias, 6 in. and more across, in lovely shades of rose from salmon-pink to cherry. 2 to 2½ ft. Pkt, 50¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25; 1/4 oz. \$2.25

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO.

# BURPEE'S GIANT PANSIES

Pansies always have been a great specialty with us and we are justly proud of our strains. Their wide range of colors, markings and forms, their easy culture, have made Burpee pansies universally popular. Pansies succeed best in fairly rich, well-drained soil in a sunny position, and produce their finest flowers in the cool, early days of spring. Keep flowers picked during the summer, plants pinched back to produce new growth and flowers in early fall. Seeds may be sown outdoors when soil has become warm; for earlier blooms, start seed indoors or in a hotbed four to six weeks before your usual outdoor planting time.

### 4222 Floradale Giants Mixed

Burpee's outstanding strain of giant pansies developed over a period of years through breeding, close and careful selection. The range of colors is unusually large, including reds, yellows, blues, etc., the majority attractively blotched with contrasting shades. Many of the blooms are nicely waved and fluted. Plants are well-rounded and profuse bloomers. Unsurpassed blend.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½6 oz. \$2.25; ½8 oz. \$4.25

### 4359 Color Carnival Mixed

An excellent mixture of special merit. Flowers are very large, slightly waved, mostly blotched or have nicely blended colors on the petals. Plants are of uniform, compact habit of growth.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½6 oz. \$2.25; ½8 oz. \$4.25

### 3385 Coronation Gold—Yellow

All-America Silver Medal Winner. Canary-yellow with the lower petals flushed golden orange. Flowers grow 3 in. across, are round, with lightly ruffled edges and have a mild, spicy scent. Highly prized for cutting; effective in borders and edgings alone or in combination with Swiss Blue. Lovely pansy of charming form and beauty; the texture of the flowers is very substantial.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½6 oz. \$1.35; ½8 oz. \$2.50

### 3353 Oregon Giants Mixed

Extra long stemmed, giant, fragrant flowers, the petals gracefully waved and ruffled at the edge. A wonderful range of choice colors, especially rich in light colors—light blue, yellow, red and shades of raspberry, lavender and purple with many nicely blotched. Early.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.75; ½ oz. \$3.25

### 4237 Steele's® Jumbo Mixed

Immense flowers in a well-balanced color blend of blue, purple, bronze, yellow, red and primrose shades; in addition to multi-color combinations, and some beautifully blotched or bordered. White, bronze shades and lavender in limited quantities. Plants bloom early and bear profusely throughout a long season. Stems are long and strong. Superb blend of many unusual colors.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½6 oz.\$2.25; ½8 oz. \$4.25

### 4204 Burpee Blend of Giant Fancy Pansies

A carefully prepared mixture of the highest quality. Plants are selected for their vigor and the way they hold their flowers above the foliage; blooms are very large, many waved, some with crinkled edges. Colors are beautiful and varied, including many that are very interestingly blotched with contrasting shades.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ 6 oz. \$1.25; ½ 0z. \$2.25

# Trimardeau or Bedding Pansies

4223 All Colors Mixed Where color effect is more important than size of bloom, this mixture will be found highly desirable for beds, borders and edgings as plants are compact, extremely free blooming, of neat habit, and very hardy. Flowers are large, borne on strong, stiff stems long enough for cutting. Excellent blend of colors, some prettily blotched, others margined and variegated.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.75

# Super Swiss Giant Pansies

4225 Special Mixture Largest flowers in all the vivid, rare and most outstanding shades of blue, purple, red, bronze, yellow and primrose. We have also included some of the five-blotched varieties that are so beautiful to further enhance the color assortment. The marvelous Swiss Pansies cannot be praised too highly. Most effective in beds and borders, and very desirable for cutting.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½16 oz. \$1.75; ½8 oz. \$3.25



### **Swiss Giant Pansies**

Plants are of strong and robust growth while the flowers are unusually large, perfectly round, with overlapping petals of heavy substance and borne freely on long, sturdy stems well above the rich green foliage. Effective in the garden; lovely for cutting.

3341 Alpenglow Rich, velvety Indian-red blooms showing a large, contrasting dark blotch on each of the three lower petals. The reddest and most brilliant of all pansies, Always attracts.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

3344 Swiss Blue Large, well-rounded blooms of a vivid shade of blue, with a blue-black blotch in the center. Most effective in edgings and borders either alone or with Coronation Gold. Pkt. 35%; 2 pkts. 65%;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$2.25

3386 Swiss Orange Varies from apricot at the edges of petals to pure deep orange in the center; general color is a beautiful orange.

Most refined color without blotches or other markings.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75; ½8 oz. \$3.25

4229 Swiss Giant Blotched Mixed The flowers are of gigantic size, and come in a lively range of colors including red, salmon, pink, wine-red, blue, yellow and rare rose shades practically unknown heretofore in pansies. Sure to please.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25





4372 Pugmy Primrose Dwarf Double French Marigold Pkt. 25¢

### BURPEE'S PYGMY MARIGOLDS

4389 **Fireglow** Showy companion to Pygmy Primrose and like it in every way except color of flowers which is a bright mahogany-scarlet with gold centers. The little plants grow only 6 in. tall. Wonderful for edges. Pkt.  $25 \phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$ 8 oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.90

4394 Helen Chapman The attractive flowers are of a rich gold color with a small red fleck near the base of the petals. Plants grow 8 in. tall. Pkt.  $25\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.90

4372 Pygmy Primrose Full, double primrose-yellow flowers which when young show a red base. Blooms are  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, the center slightly curled but merges almost unnoticed into ruffled outer petals. 6 in. high. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75

4166 Yellow Pygmy All-America Winner. Light lemon-yellow, tiny chrysanthemum-like flowers. Taller growing than above, about 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

4434 Pygmy Mixed New THIS YEAR Delightful blend of the popular dwarf Pygmy type that blooms from early summer until frost. Mounds of color 6 to 8 in. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.90

Exquisite blooms, 1½ to 2 in. across, in orange, yellow and mahogany, as well as combinations of these colors. French Marigolds should be grown in soil that is not overly rich. Burpee's Dwarf Double French Marigolds are 6 to 18 in, tall according to variety and locality where planted.

4138 Butterball All-America Bronze Medal Winner, Canary-yellow, scabiosa-like flowers, 1¼ in, across, 8 in, tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3235 **Harmony** Flowers  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in. across, with golden orange center petals and reddish brown outer ones. 16 in. tall. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $60 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.10

4115 Lemon Drop Clear lemon-yellow, double flowers, 1½ in. across freely borne on compact 9 in. plants. Early. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 02. \$1.00; ¼ 02. \$1.75

4164 Rusty Red Large attractive rusty red flowers, 2 in and more across. The dwarf, bushy plants grow 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

4137 Scarlet Glow All-America Winner. Deep scarlet turning to rich tangerine. Showy. 1½ to 2 in. across. 10 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

4174 Spry All-America Silver Medal Winner and Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Flowers are 1½ to 1¾ in. across, with bright yellow pin-cushion center crests surrounded by mahogany-red guard petals. 9 in. Pkt. 25¢; 1½ oz. 75¢; 1¼ oz. \$1.25

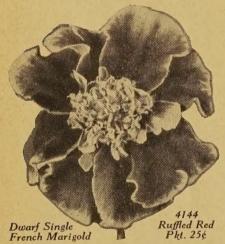
3212 **Sunkist** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Attractive deep orange flowers, 1½ to 2 in. across. Ideal for bedding, borders, edgings and pot culture. Lovely. 6 to 8 in. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10

4165 **Tangerine** Bright tangerine-orange. Flowers are double, 2 in. across, and completely cover the bushy, mound-like plants which grow about 15 in. tall. Early blooming. Pkt.  $35 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75

4145 Dwarf Double French, Mixed Colors The varieties here listed and others in a good mixture. 15 in. tall. Pkt.  $15 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $40 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $70 \, \varepsilon$ 

4167 Burpee's Best Mixture Special blend of unusual colors; choicest varieties, self-colored, spotted and striped. Unsurpassed for beds or borders; highly desirable for cutting. 15 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz \$1.25

# **Dwarf Single French Marigolds**



4144 Ruffled Red Flowers grow about 134 in. across, open rich mahogany with a contrasting golden edging, thus adding to the beauty of the prettily ruffled blooms. Flowers change to deep orange. 1 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

### **Best Four** French Marigolds

Naughty Marietta and Ruffled Red (single) Pygmy Mixed and Spry (double)

4771 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all four, value \$1.00 for only 85¢

Far superior to old-fashioned kinds—the flowers are larger and richer colored and the plants are earlier and more profuse blooming. For a striking display in beds, borders and edgings, the single French Marigolds are hard to beat. Nice for cutting. Height varies from 1 to 1½ ft. depending on the individual variety used and the locality where it is planted.

4133 Flash All-America Silver Medal Winner. Gay, single flowers, 134 in. and more across, in a bright combination of colors which range from vivid red through bronze and yellow. In most of the flowers a base color of tangerine is overlaid with rich marigold-red. Plants grow 18 in. tall.

4141 Naughty Marietta All-America Winner; Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Wide open, single flowers, 2½ in. across; rich golden yellow attractively blotched maroon at base of the petals. They are freely borne on compact plants 1 ft. tall; gay subjects for beds, borders and edgings. Early and continuous bloomer. Prized for cutting.

4148 Red Head All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Single 2 in. flowers, made up of a crested center of golden petals edged maroon and surrounded by a single row of broad petals which open a rich mahogany changing to auburn and later to attractive shades of bronze and gold. Mature plants are 1 ft. high.

**4146 Sunny** Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Cheerful, single, bright yellow flowers, about 2 in. across with delicate cerise markings at base of petals. 15 in.

Any of the above Dwarf Single French Marigolds: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

### PETITE DWARF DOUBLE FRENCH MARIGOLDS

1958 All-America Bronze Medal Winners

This new class of Petite Marigolds fills a much wanted need for an extra dwarf, uniformly even, very early and extremely floriferous Marigold for borders and mass effects. Very compact plants 6 in. high and 10 in. wide are completely covered with are completely covered with flowers. Come into bloom early.

3127 Petite Gold Little mounds of clear golden yellow flowers create a beautiful effect in edges, borders and beds.

3128 Petite Harmony A beautiful bicolor with rich, deep mahogany guard petals that surround a gold crested center.

3117 Petite Orange little, bright orange flowers are borne above the foliage from early summer until frost kills.

3224 Petite Mixed Each of above colors plus clear yellow.

Any of the above Petite Marigolds: Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.00

# Dwarf Signet Marigold (Tagetes signata pumila)

4155 Golden Ring Extremely free-flowering dwarf plants, 10 in. tall, with fine, lacy foilage with the usual marigold odor and hundreds of small golden-orange flowers always open at one time. For edgings and rock gardens Signet Marigolds are unsurpassed.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

# Burpee's Tall African Marigolds

A wealth of color in the garden all summer and fall unequaled by any other flower. Easy to grow in ordinary garden loam but give the best results in a fairly rich medium one; be sure to plant in a sunny location. Remarkable diversity of flower forms; some resemble a chrysanthemum, others like a carnation or peony and some sponge-like and ball shaped. All are lovely for cutting, the flowers keeping in fine condition for a long time.



1957 Judging of "White Marigold" Trials at Floradale Farms was done on August 13th. The judges from the left are Dr. Vernon T. Stoutemyer, Chairman of the Department of Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, University of California; David Burpee, President, W. Atlee Burpee Co.; and Dr. John G. Seeley, Head of Department of Floriculture and Ornamental Horticulture, Cornell University.

# \$10,000 for a White Marigold

Burpee will pay you \$10,000 if you are the first person who sends us seeds that grow the first White Marigold as big as Man-in-the-Moon Marigold, and as white as Snowstorm Petunia. It must be understood that you will not give or sell White Marigold seeds to anyone else, and that all seeds sent to us become the property of W. Atlee Burpee Co., with the exclusive rights to name, introduce and sell, and no seeds can be returned.

If you find a pure white marigold, do not cut the flowers but let them go to seed and send about 100 seeds to us at Philadelphia 32, Pa., Clinton, Iowa, or Riverside, California. We will plant the marigold seeds on our Floradale Farms and the results will be judged by the President of the W. Atlee Burpee Co. and two other distinguished horticulturists. The decision of the majority of the judges will be final, and the results will be announced in our seed catalogs.

In this world-wide search for a pure white marigold, anyone, anywhere, may submit seeds except Burpee employees or their families. It is understood that all seeds submitted for trial are accepted by us only under the above conditions.



4364 New Selections for 1958 of Nearest-to-White Marigolds Pkt. 25¢

# The White Marigold Treasure Hunt Continues

We are still looking for a pure white marigold as big as Man-inthe-Moon Marigold and as white as Snowstorm Petunia. In recent years, gardeners have been helping us, and we have been getting marigolds nearer and nearer to white, but as yet we do not have a pure white one. Will you help us?

# 4364 Burpee's Nearest-to-White Marigolds

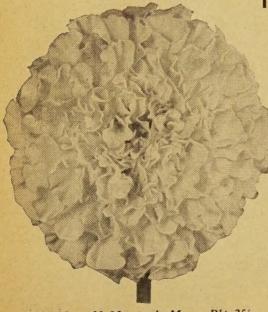
New Selections for 1958. To help you find a pure white marigold, we offer new selections of Nearest-to-White Marigolds in Mixture. It contains all types of the palest colors that are most likely to produce a pure white African Marigold. Grow them in your garden, and you may be the one to find the first pure white.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85; ½4 oz. \$3.50

### 4151 Man-in-the-Moon

The variety nearest to white. Vigorous plants bear an abundance of solid, round, carnation-like blooms 3 to 3½ in. across composed of broad, crisply ruffled, taffeta-like, pale moon-yellow petals with lighter highlights. Excellent for garden display as well as cutting. 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85



4151 Marigold, Man-in-the-Moon Pkt. 25¢



3263 Burpee Primrose Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Soft, pleasing primrose-yellow flowers, 3½ in across, of distinctive, carnation-like shape, the petals prettily waved and rolled near the base. The plants grow 22 in. tall.

3255 Guinea Gold All-America Gold Medal Winner. Bright orange carnation-like flowers flushed with gold. 2½ ft. tall.

4162 Indian Chief The brilliant reddish-orange color of this variety is outstanding among African Marigolds. Flowers are of the informal type, 2½ to 3 in. across with nicely ruffled petals and the deepest orange of all marigolds. 2½ ft. tall.

4392 **Primrose Beauty** Pale primrose flowers, 3 in. across, cover the uniform, bushy plants. The open blooms are given a ruffled appearance due to the wavings on ends of the broad petals. Vigorous, profuse grower. The plants are 2 ft. tall.

**3225 Real Gold** All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Largest flowered marigold of the carnation type, 4½ in. and more across; distinct tone of golden orange, shaded yellow, which we describe as real gold. Especially desirable for exhibition. 20 to 25 in.

4158 Riverside Beauty Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Full double, carnation-flowered, picric-yellow, the individual petals fluted and ruffled, giving a thick flower-head 4 in. and more across. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

4152 **Smiles** An early blooming marigold with bright golden yellow flowers, 3 in, and more across, with wonderful substance. The graceful, loose-open, peony-like blooms are especially attractive because of their wax-like, broadly ruffled petals. 3 ft. tall.

3238 **Tetra** Very deep orange flowers with the same attractive carnation flowered form as Guinea Gold, but much larger,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across. The result of doubling the chromosomes of Guinea Gold. It is as easy to grow as any marigold. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

**4147 Carnation Flowered Mixed** The above and a few other varieties of which we do not have enough seed to offer separately. Great favorites for cutting. Grow 20 to 30 in. tall.

Any of the above Carnation Flowered Marigolds: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

# **Burpee's Mammoth Mum** Marigolds—Flowers 31/2 in. and more across

Giant flowered, true chrysanthemum-like form,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. and more across. In addition to making a striking display in the garden, they will be a rich source of attractive cut flowers from midseason until frost. 3 ft. tall. For earlier blooms, start seeds indoors 3 weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Transplant to stand  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. apart.

**4421 Golden Mum** The unusual, glowing golden yellow color of the flowers, combined with their beautiful chrysanthemum-like form, make it most desirable for garden display and cutting.

**4422 Primrose Mum** The first soft primrose color in the Mammoth Mum Marigolds. Flowers are made up of exquisite, loosely interwoven petals. Especially nice contrast to the other colors.

**4365 Orange Mum** Clear, vivid, rich orange, mum-like blooms with the petal tips more curly; flowers larger and broader than others.

4143 Yellow Mum This is the original Mammoth Mum, the blooms extra large, ball-like, light sulfur-yellow. The flowers are made up of many finely cut individual florets intricately intertwined in true mum form; they are borne profusely on long cutting stems.

Any of the above Burbee Mammoth Mum Marigolds:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

### **Burpee's Best Four** Mammoth Mum Marigolds

Golden Mum, Primrose Mum, Orange Mum and Yellow Mum

4855—SPECIAL: One pkt. each, value \$1.00 75¢

4423 Mammoth Mum Marigolds, Mixed Colors A delightful blend of the full color array found in the giant chrysanthemum flowered marigolds. Colors range from giant chrysanthemum flowered marigolds. Colors range from soft, light primrose to rich deep orange with intermediate tones of yellow and gold that form a harmonious color mixture in garden plantings or bouquets. The fluffy flower heads are borne on strong stems that are unexcelled for cutting. These "summer mums" provide a cotinunous supply of blooms with fine keeping qualities for home decorative use until frost. Plants are strong growing, attaining a height of 3 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85

# Chrysanthemum Flowered Marigolds-Flowers 21/2 in. to 3 in. across

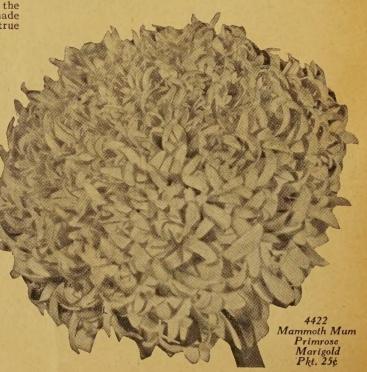
**Glitters** We offer an improved stock under the name of Giant Yellow Fluffy which is listed on page 7.

3216 Golden Bedder All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Early, extremely profuse blooming plants, 14 in. high, covered with chrysanthemum-like, bright golden orange flowers.

**3243 Goldilocks** Fluffy, round, double, chrysanthemumlike, bright golden yellow flowers, 3 in. and more across. Ideal for cutting and garden decoration. Strong, upright plants. 3 ft.

4142 **Chrysanthemum Flowered Mixed** Showy flowers of different chrysanthemum-like shapes, from deepest orange to brightest yellow. Valuable for cutting. 1½ to 3 ft. tall.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25



Burpee's New Giant Fluffy Marigolds

Giant Fluffy Marigolds are a delightful new type of chrysanthemum-flowered marigolds with well-rounded heads having gracefully interlaced petals more loosely arranged than the petals of other chrysanthemum types. They have an informal, graceful, "fluffy" appearance.

Fluffy marigolds are available in the best marigold colors—bright yellow, golden and deep orange. The giant double flowers, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, have excellent centers and are borne on strong stems well above the foliage. They are wonderful for cutting and are most attractive in the garden alone or combined with others.

Giant Fluffy Marigolds are one of the earliest types of all African Marigolds, blooming abundantly from early midsummer until killing frost. Plant habit is upright, vigorous and quite uniform. Grow 2½ ft. tall.

4431 Yellow Fluffy NEW THIS YEAR Bright canary-yellow.

4432 Orange Fluffy NEW THIS YEAR Deep, vivid orange.

4435 Golden Fluffy NEW THE YEAR Lively, pleasing color.

Any of the above Giant Fluffy Marigolds: Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

4433 Giant Fluffy Mixture NEWTHSTER Each of the above 3 separate colors plus other shades in a nice blend.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.95

# 3233 MARIGOLDS ON PARADE

Special mixture of different named tall double marigolds, including those with odorless foliage, tetra, as well as double hybrids. All types—chrysanthemum, peony and carnation flowered. Many are recent introductions. A glorious display of orange, yellow and red shades from early summer until frost. Showy in the garden and highly prized for cut flowers. Plants grow 1½ to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 8 oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

# Tall Double Ball Marigolds

Attractive, ball-shaped, quilled or sponge-like flowers on long, stiff stems. Plants bloom freely from midsummer until frost. 3 ft.

3246 Lemon Ball Large, bright canary-yellow flowers of wonderful substance. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

3267 Orange Ball Bright, glowing orange, exquisitely formed flowers on long stems. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

4169 Tall Double African, Mixed Colors The above ball varieties and other tall African types in a grand mixture.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; ¼ oz. 75¢

# Giant Perfecto Marigolds

4159 **Special Mixture** Burpee's select blend of uniformly semi-tall, giant flowered double marigolds resembling both the carnation and peony types. All colors to be found in Tall African marigolds. 3 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

# Sun Giants Marigold

4163 Burpee Blend Flowers are very large, many  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. They are mostly of the carnation type, others spongelike; the two types form a most harmonious blend with a surprisingly high percentage of full double blooms. Color range is wonderful, varying from pale primrose through many tones to deep orange. Prized for cutting. Plants grow 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

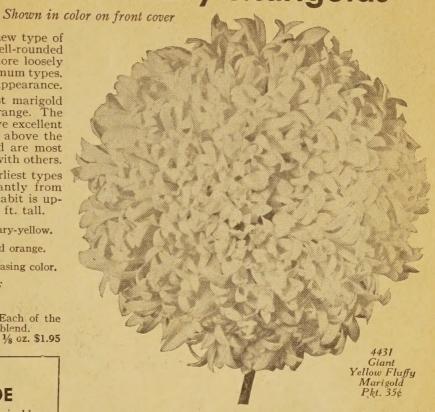
# Crackerjack Marigolds

4212 Mixed NEW THIS YEAR Uniformly double flowers similar to Sun Giants in appearance, 4 to 5 in. across, in a full range of colors—primrose, yellow, gold and orange. One of the first large-flowered marigolds to bloom. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

# Best Tall Marigolds

4168 **Mixed** Remarkable for the wide color range and flowers of different shapes, many 5 in. across, with the average somewhat over 4 in. Colors vary from deepest orange to lightest primrose. The plants grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft. tall and bloom most profusely. Pkt.  $35 \not\in$ ; 2 pkts.  $65 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75



# 3 New Giant Fluffy Marigolds

Yellow Fluffy, Golden Fluffy and Orange Fluffy 4857—SPECIAL: One pkt. each, value \$1.05 for only 75¢

# Burpee's Marigolds with Odorless Foliage

3221 Burpee Gold Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Carnation-like bright orange flowers 3½ to 4 in. across but instead of the petals being tightly packed in the head, they are long and arranged rather loosely which is most attractive. Plants have odorless foliage. Burpee Gold is a profuse bloomer 2½ ft. tall.

3253 **Clinton** Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Large, carnation-like, brilliant orange blooms  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across on extra long stems; odorless foliage.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

3226 Crown of Gold Improved All-America Gold Medal Winner. Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Bright orange-gold, collarette flowers 2 in. across are freely borne on stocky, odorless foliaged plants 2 ft. tall.

4131 Frills Frilly carnation-like marigold with odorless foliage. Flowers grow 3½ in. across, clear, vivid mid- or golden orange with petals beautifully frilled and waved. Plants grow 2 ft. tall and produce gorgeous blooms on long stems well above foliage.

**3211 Mayling** Rich, buttery, golden primrose carnation-like flowers 3 in, and more across, the petals being artistically incurved and daintily fringed on the edges. Foliage without odor, 2 ft.

4182 Mixed Carnation Flowered Marigolds with Odorless Foliage Deep orange, golden orange, golden yellow, canary-yellow, and primrose flowers in a grand mixture, 2 to 2% ft.

4136 **Special Mixture** of the collarette, carnation and chrysanthemum flowered types in all colors from the deepest orange to the lightest yellow; foliage is free of odor. Plants grow 20 to 30 in. tall.

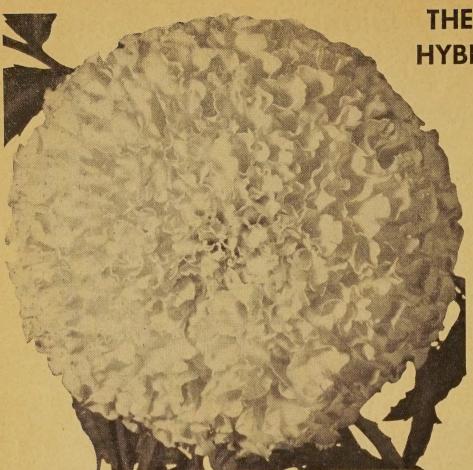
Any of the above Marigolds with Odorless Foliage:

Pkt. 25¢; ½8 oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

Best 3 Marigolds with Odorless Foliage
Burpee Gold, Frills and Mayling

4776—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 3 separate named varieties, value 75¢ for only 60¢

Next page for F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Marigolds



4443 Yellow Climax, New Giant African F1 Hybrid Marigold Pht. \$1.00 Marigolds are a leading Burpee specialty and Climax Marigolds are our most sensational introduction for 1958

THE FIRST GIANT F. HYBRID MARIGOLDS

Climax

**NEW FOR 1958** 

Climax Marigolds are by far the most gorgeous marigolds we have ever seen and, we believe, aptly named as they are the climax of 20 years of Burpee research to create giant African F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Marigolds with all the virtues of a perfect flower. The tremendous, almost globular, blooms reach sizes up to 5 in. across and nearly as deep. While of giant size, the fully double flowers have unusual grace and charm for the satiny petals are deeply ruffled and frilled. The tall plants, 2½ to 3 ft. high, bear an abundance of flowers, all of them large, on long, graceful, cutting stems from midsummer until frost. Climax stems from midsummer until frost. Climax is available in two separate colors, a clear, bright yellow and a deep, brilliant orange.

After many Burpee firsts in creating new marigolds—the tetras, marigolds with odorless foliage, the French-African F1 Hybrids, to say nothing of dozens of new varieties, both giant and dwarf, Climax Marigolds overshadow all other achievements in breeding new marigolds.

4443 Yellow Climax Bright yellow. 4442 Orange Climax Deep orange.

Either of the above:

Pkt. (50 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.75; 3 pkts. \$2.50; 1/16 oz. \$6.00

Order early. Supply of seed is very short.

# 4154 Burpee's Red and Gold Hybrid Marigolds

DOUBLE SPECIES HYBRIDS BETWEEN AFRICAN AND FRENCH MARIGOLDS



4154 Burpee's Red and Gold Hybrid Marigolds Pkt. 60¢

Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Flowers of Bur-Awara of Mern, Royal Horticulard Society of Great Britain. Flowers of Bullpee's Red and Gold Hybrids are exceedingly double, 2½ to 3 in, across, some
are solid red while others are delightful combinations of red and gold. Color
varies with the season—at times it becomes almost pure golden yellow and at
other times a bright, rich mahogany-scarlet. The bushy, upright plants grow up
to ½ ft. tall, 2 ft. wide. They flower in 8 weeks from seed and continue to bear
profusely and continuously until the plants are killed by frost. Especially suited
for borders and beds; prized for cut flowers and exhibition. Good keepers.

### BURPEE'S MARIGOLD GARDEN

Nearest-to-White Marigolds in Mixture, NEW selections for 1958

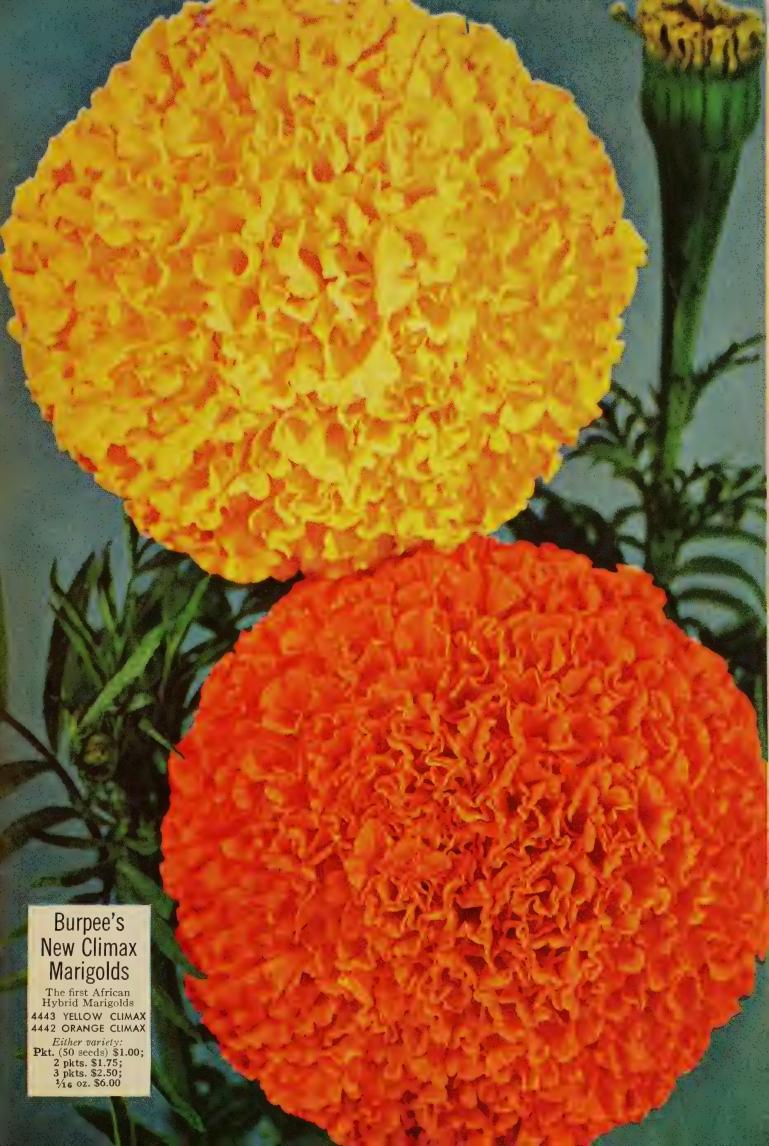
Mammoth Mum, Mixed Colors

Burpee's Sun Giants, extra large flowers, many 4½ in. across

Frills, vivid golden orange flowers; foliage is free of the usual marigold odor

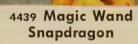
Rusty Red, dwarf double French Sunny, dwarf single French yellow.

4784—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six lovely marigolds, value \$1.60 for only \$1





4427 Burpee's Orchid Beauty Aster Entirely new and beautiful color in the American Beauty class—a delightful orchid-rose shade. Flowers grow 4 in. across; plants 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 40¢; ½ soz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.90



Tall, graceful, slender spikes of lovely clear yellow flowers.

Pkt. 50¢; ½32 oz. \$2.00



Distinctive new bicolor in the Burpee Giant Hybrid Zinnias—soft rose outer petals in pleasing contrast to the deep rose center. Flowers up to 5 in. across. Pkt.  $40 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.00

# 6 of Burpee's Best New Flowers for 1958

All Created by Burpee on Floradale Farms

4858 SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all six, value \$2.80, for only

### 3022 Sparkles Phlox

Most appealing new shade in our Giant Tetra group of annual phlox—an exquisite deep salmon-cerise. Flowers as big as a half dollar. Lovely for garden and cutting, 12 to 14 in. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ½16 oz. \$1.25

### 4434 Pygmy Marigolds

Charming blend of the ever popular dwarf Pygmy Marigolds. The primrose-yellow, golden yellow and the bright mahogany-scarlet flowers with yellow centers cover the mound-like 6 to 8 in, plants.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

For a complete listing of all the New Flowers Burpee offers you for 1958, see page 2.



### 4441 Super Frills Petunias

Marvelous blend of giant, attractively frilled and fringed blooms, some, so much so, that they resemble double petunias. Many flowers are of one color, others beautifully blotched or variegated in contrasting shades. Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; ½128 oz. \$3.50



The best of the Giant Plumed Asters as grown by Burpee

**Burpee's Giant Fluffy® Asters** 

Flowers are extra large, 5 in. and more across, of great substance and magnificent form; the long petals are artistically curled and resemble ostrich plumes. Wonderful for garden display; prized for cutting. In bloom from early summer until late midseason. Giant Fluffy Asters grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

4028 Fluffy Blue Charming light blue shade. A bright and clear, uniform color.

4022 Fluffy Crimson Luminous crimson of remarkable brilliance. Striking.

4021 Fluffy Purple Warm and attractive shade of deep royal purple. General favorite.

4049 Fluffy Rose Lovely shade of bright but warm rose-pink. Very popular color.

**4027 Fluffy White** Magnificent, large, glistening white flowers of unusual purity.

4053 All Colors Mixed Attractive blend of all the above five colors of Giant Fluffy Asters. For garden display or arrangements the colors are unexcelled in their beauty.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Fluffy Asters: Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.50

Five Burpee Giant Fluffy Asters

4798—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 5 separate colors, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

# 4028 Giant Fluffy Blue Aster Pkt. 25¢

# Asters on Parade®

4036 Best Giants Mixed Special blend of all the best California Giants, El Monte, Peach Blossom, Giant Branching, Giant Crego, Peerless, Fluffy and others. A grand mixture providing succession of blooms throughout the season.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

### BURPEE'S BEAUTIFUL ASTERS

A continuous display of flowers from early summer until frost can be had by planting Extra Early Burpeeana and other early, midseason and later blooming varieties. Asters are long lasting, so are wonderful for cutting. They prefer rich, well-drained soil and a warm, sunny location.



Flowers are globular, double, 3 to 4 in. across, with attractively incurved petals. They are highly prized in the garden and for cutting.

Plants are of erect, base branching growth, average 20 in. in height, with many stems per plant, each stem topped with a flower somewhat resembling the American Beauty in shape. Terminal flowers come into bloom at about the same time, thus making a grand showing in the garden. In our plantings, Burpeeana Asters reach the peak of their bloom two weeks or

more earlier than Queen of the Market, with larger and better shaped flowers.

4014 Blue Boy Attractive dark blue.

4035 Blue Sky Lovely lavender-blue.

4034 Fire Light Bright scarlet-rose.

4025 Rosy Morn Exquisite light rose.

4024 Snow Ball Glistening white.

Any of the above Burpeeana Asters: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

4023 All Colors Mixed Well balanced blend of the above and other desirable colors of this outstanding, extremely early aster.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.50

### Five Colorful Burpeeana Extra Early Asters

Blue Boy, Blue Sky, Fire Light, Rosy Morn and Snow Ball

4833-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all five separate colors, 5 pkts. in all for only \$1





# **American Beauty Asters**

The flowers are 4 in. across, globular, fully double, with prettily incurved petals. Noted for their unusually long stems which make them one of the best for cut-flower purposes. We offer the mid-season type which come into bloom shortly after the Giant Branching. Plants are of branching habit, vigorous, 2 to 2½ ft. tall, and very profuse blooming.

3052 Dark Lavender\* Clear, soft azure-blue.

3051 Crimson\* Deep rich satiny crimson. Showy.

3057 Shell Pink\* Also referred to as flesh pink.

3046 Purple\* Deep shade of purple. Much admired.

3056 Carmine Rose\* Full of life and sparkle.

3053 White\* Pure, clear, glistening white. Profuse.

4033 All Colors Mixed\* For cutting and garden.

Any of the above American Beauty Asters: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

### Six American Beauty Asters\*

4795—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 6 separate colors, value \$1.50 for only \$1.25

4427 **Burpee's Orchid Beauty**Entirely new and lovely color -a delightful orchidrose. American Beauty type flowers 4 in. across. 2 ft.
Pkt. 40¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.90

# California Giant Asters

Handsomely Curled and Interlaced

Calilornia Giants combine the plume or feathered type of flower with the long, straight stems of the American Beauty class. The large, double flowers with long, attractively curled petals grow 5 in. and more in diameter, on stems  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. long. Plants are vigorous, freely branching, grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  it. tall and bloom profusely from late midscason until frost. Where summers are short, start inside.

3016 White Combines well with colors below and is nice alone.

3028 Apple Blossom Beautiful shell-pink. Very popular shade.

3027 Light Blue Soft, clear azure-blue that is most appealing.

3039 Crimson A rather rich showy color that is full of life.

3021 Dark Purple An attractive shade for cutting or garden.

3009 Deep Rose Delightful tone of beautiful dark rose-pink.

4031 All Colors Mixed Marvelous blend of all these colors.

Any of the above California Giant Double Asters: Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

### Six California Giant Double Asters

4797—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 6 colors; immense, long-stemmed flowers, 6 pkts. \$1.25

# **Burpee's Early Asters**

3007 Early Blue Giant All-America Silver Medal Winner. Immense flowers of the most exquisite blue, petals being broader and less curled than the Cregos. Early to late midseason. 1½ ft. Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

3025 Early Giant Peach Blossom\* Huge flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with curled and interlaced petals; rich shade of peach-blossom pink when matured. Early to late midseason, 1½ to 2 it. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

4348 **Heavenly Blue** Large, feathery, beautifully formed flowers, 4 in. and more across, of an exquisite azure or light lavender-blue color. Petals are long, narrow, prettily interlaced, the smaller ones gracefully curling over the center. Well branched. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

3043 Queen of the Market, All Colors Mixed The plants are of open, spreading growth and branch freely near the ground, thereby giving long stems to the flowers, which are nearly round, fully double, and measure 3 in. across. What the flowers lack in size is made up in earliness. 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10

### BURPEE'S ASTER GARDEN

Flowers from extra early in the summer until frost.

Burpeeana Extra Early All Colors Mixed American Beauty Red, White and Blue Heart of France Beautiful, deep ruby-red Giant Crego Enchantress (salmon-rose) Giant Branching All Colors Mixed

4705—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 7 named asters, 5 different types, value \$1.60 for only

# **Pompon Asters**

Charming, early blooming type. Plants are of uniformly upright, somewhat compact growth, about 15 in. tall, and lend themselves admirably to bedding, cutting and pot culture. Nice as a border.

3037 Blue Darkest blue aster in the pompon group.

3029 Crimson Rich satiny crimson of unusual beauty.

3026 Fiery Scarlet Showy, vivid, dazzling scarlet.

3024 Rose Brilliant rose; a favorite for garden and cutting.

3008 White Pure white; nice alone or with the others.

4032 All Colors Mixed Choice mixture of above colors.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

### **Five Pompon Asters**

4792 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 5 separate colors, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only



3024 Rose Pompon Aster Pkt. 25¢

Giant Branching Resistant Asters

### Also known as American, Semple's or Vick's Branching

From midsummer until frost these asters will produce a profusion of beautiful flowers. The blooms are quite large,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across, and fully double. Plants grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall and branch freely, producing stems frequently 2 ft. long, which makes them especially fine for cutting. Flowers have good substance, therefore are long lasting.

3034 Sensation\* Strikingly bright scarlet; vivid and intense.

3041 Azure Blue\* Also described as dark silvery lavender.

3044 Shell Pink\* Attractive soft flesh pink; always wanted.

3045 Purple\* A rich glowing shade of purple; much admired.

3055 Light Rose\* Could be called deep pink; beautiful color.

3032 Scarlet Rose\* Most outstanding color; sure to attract.

3033 White\* Wonderful form and substance; purest white.

4063 All Colors Mixed\* A very attractive mixture of all varieties in this popular class. Showy in the garden and bouquets.

Any of the above Giant Branching Asters: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 60¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.10

### Six Wilt-Resistant Giant Branching Asters

Azure Blue, Shell Pink, Purple, Light Rose, Sensation (scarlet) and White

4716—SPECIAL: One pkt, each of these 6 separate colors, 6 pkts. in all, value 90¢ for only 75¢

# **Asters of Special Merit**

4415 **Blue Beauty** Lovely, incurved petaled flowers, 4 in. across, of an exquisite wisteria-blue shade that is prized for cutting; long stems add to their value and beauty. Blue Beauty is an early mid-season blooming variety of the American Beauty type that grows 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 40¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.90

4363 **Blue Peony** Fully double, incurved peony shaped, azure-blue flowers up to 5 in. across, are freely borne on strong stems 1 ft. and more long from midsummer until frost. It is valuable for garden display as well as for cutting. Plants grow to a height of 2 ft. in the garden. Pkt.  $40 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.85

4405 **Debutantes** Really beautiful, graceful, early blooming asters, mostly of the erect, upright habit of growth with flowers of the American Beauty and Fluffy types in all colors to be seen in asters. Debutantes are delightfully different from any mixture ever offered. They are wonderful for garden and cutting. The plants grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25

4413 **Modest Maidens** A galaxy of beauties in a charming mixture of new types of asters, both upright and branching, blooming in midseason and providing a harmonious color range from white to deep purple. Lovely for cutting. Vary in height from 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

Pkt.  $50 \, \text{\'e}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.25

4029 Heart of France\* Truly beautiful, deep ruby-red blooms—large, well-rounded, and fully double—borne on long stems from midseason until frost. Grows 18 in. tall. Colorful in garden or bouquets.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

4356 Powderpuffs, Mixed Colors Attractive flowers, 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, are freely borne atop strong, upright plants from August until early fall. Colors include white, pink, rose, azure, scarlet and lavender tones. Lovely for borders. A unique idea for indoor decoration is to use the entire upright plant, for when cut, they make excellent bouquets. Pkt.  $30\frac{1}{2}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.25

4089 Super Giant, El Monte All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Huge deep glowing crimson blooms on heavy, non-lateral, base-branching stems from August until late in the season. Plants grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4015 Scarlet Pyramid Large, semi-double, bright scarlet flowers, 3 in. across, whose beauty is enhanced by a showy golden yellow center. The vigorous, bushy, pyramidal shaped plants are very free blooming from midseason until frost. Flowers are lovely for cutting and make a bright display in the garden. The plants grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4428 Violet Peony NEW HIS YEAR A fine midsummer cutting variety with 4 in., bright violet flowers that are unmarred by interfering side branches. It is fully double, with incurved peony-like petal formation and excellent centers. Mid-green. luxuriant foliage; open and erect branching habit gives a graceful appearance. Plants grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.90

### 4341 FORDHOOK FAVORITE ASTERS MIXED

The best colors of our favorite types carefully blended in a grand mixture to furnish gorgeous blooms for garden display and cutting during the summer and fall. Grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Pkt.  $25\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50



3034 Giant Branching Aster, Sensation\* Pkt. 15¢

# **Giant Crego Asters**

(Wilt-Resistant)

Also known as Giant Branching Comet

Large flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with long, ribbon-like, gracefully curled and twisted petals, giving them a lovely shaggy appearance. Long stemmed; fine for cutting. The plants are strong growing, of branching habit, 2 ft. tall and bloom in midseason. One of the most popular for all purposes. They are beautiful in the garden as well as in bouquets.

4039 Azure Blue\* Soft, pleasing shade of light azure-blue

4037 Blue Flame\* Bright navy blue; excellent color.

4042 Crimson\* Rich and velvety; a striking, vivid red.

3031 Enchantress\* Charming, bright salmon-rose.

4012 Shell Pink\* Soft and refined blush pink; beautiful.

4018 Deep Rose\* Always in demand; attractive color.
4011 White\* Splendid combined with dark colors or alone.

4043 All Colors Mixed\* Many colors, including all the above, each of which is highly immune to wilt disease.

Any of the above Giant Crego Asters: Pkt. 20¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

### Five Best Wilt-Resistant Giant Crego Asters

Azure Blue, Blue Flame, Crimson, Shell Pink and White

4793 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate colors, value \$1.00 for only

\*Aster varieties marked with an asterisk (\*) are the Wilt-Resistant strain. They are highly immune to "Wilt disease" or "Stem-rot."

### PEERLESS ASTERS

3042 Peerless Pink\* Almost globular, 4 in., shell-pink flowers are freely borne on strong stems from midseason until frost. The long, strong stems and the delicately colored flowers make this variety one of the most popular for garden and cutting purposes. Plants grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

3023 Peerless Yellow Soft, pleasing shade of light yellow that is lovely for cutting. Plants branch freely and grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall; blooms, 3 in. across, are freely produced from midseason until frost. Péerless Yellow is the best of the light yellow asters and it is the only one of its color which we list.

Pkt.  $25\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50



Sweet Alussum 4002 Tetra Snowdrift Pkt. 25¢

# SWEET ALYSSUM

Easily grown, free flowering plants; universally popular for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens, pots and window boxes. Of quick growth; in bloom from early in the summer until hard frost. Pretty alone or alternated with blue lobelia, dwarf blue ageratum or signet marigolds. Also used for growing in pots or boxes indoors during the winter. Your choice of white or violet sweet alyssum of different heights.

4003 Carpet of Snow Dainty, pure white flowers are so freely produced on dwarf plants as to give the impression of a white carpet. A favorite variety for wide edgings, for while plants seldom grow over 4 in. high, they spread considerably.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.75

4016 Little Gem Small white flowers completely cover the dwarf, compact plants which grow only 4 to 5 in. tall. A favorite of many years for narrow edgings.

Pkt.  $15 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $50 \not\in$ ; oz. \$1.50

**4044 Royal Carpet** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Plants are low and spreading, 2 or 3 in. high, 10 or more in. across, right overed with large heads of rich violet or vibrant purple. Popular edging plant.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85

4004 Sweet (Lobularia maritima) Of spreading growth, averaging 8 in. in height. Pure white, dainty, honey-scented flowers are produced in the greatest profusion.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; oz. \$1.00

4002 Tetra Snowdrift Low, bushy plants present a mass of bloom with flower heads larger than any other annual white sweet alyssum. Unusual vigor is surely evident in this excellent strain which grows 10 in. tall and is always covered with bloom. Ideal for all outdoor plantings, and as the stems are long and strong, it is valuable for cutting. Since the flowers are of good substance they keep well after being cut.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25

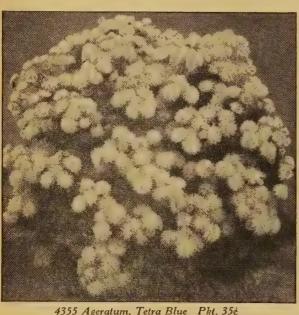
4005 Violet Queen Large heads of fragrant, bright, clear violet flowers, a few top center ones in the cluster being white in pretty contrast. Free bloomer. 5 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; oz. \$2.00

4064 Violet and White Mixed This combination of colors is most pleasing and is often favorably commented upon by those who see our plantings of it at Fordhook and Floradale Farms. Grows 5 to 6 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$2.50

Perennial Alyssum, page 54.



4355 Ageratum, Tetra Blue Pkt. 35¢

4355 **Tetra Blue** Unusually large, true ageratum-blue colored flowers cover the dwarf, compact plants which grow 6 to 8 in. tall with a spread of 1 ft. The plants are extremely vigorous, free blooming; flowers are fine for cutting.

Pkt.  $35 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.10;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$2.00

### AGERATUM—Floss Flower

Favorite, profuse blooming plants with fluffy flowers in dense heads throughout the summer and fall. In great demand for borders, edgings, rock gardens, small beds and also make nice indoor pot plants, especially the dwarf varieties; tall kinds are fine for cutting. Ageratum does well in either author beds should be provided to the control of the co either sun or half-shade in any good soil.

4007 Blue Ball Compact ball-shaped plants that grow 6 to 8 in. tall are covered with large, attractive heads composed of many dark blue flowers. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4001 Blue Cap Large rich blue flowers in great profusion are formed in dense heads that cover the dwarf, dome-shaped plants which grow 8 in. tall. The foremost variety of Ageratum for all purposes.

Pkt.  $25\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{6}$  oz.  $85\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4008 Blue Perfection Deep amethyst blue flowers are borne most profusely on dwarf, compact plants which grow to a height of about 9 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

3003 Imperial Dwarf Blue Compact plants, 7 in. tall, above which stand attractive clusters of dainty, fluffy lavender-blue flowers, Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{6}$  oz.  $65 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.20

3005 Imperial Dwarf White Pure white flowers; combines well with Imperial Dwarf Blue. Superb for low edgings. Plants grow 7 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; ¼ oz. \$1.20

**4006 Midget Blue** All-America Silver-Medal Winner. Uniformly dwarf plants, 2 to 3 in. high, completely covered with small, ageratum-blue flowers all season long. Wonderful for edgings and rock gardens.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4009 Tall Blue Bright azure-blue flowers are freely produced in dense clusters on branched plants which grow 2 ft. tall. Nice for cutting. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{6}$  oz.  $65 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.20



4017 Amaranthus, Molten Fire Pkt. 25¢

### AMARANTHUS—Summer Poinsettia

Splendid foliage plants, 3 to 5 ft. high; ideal for backgrounds or groups. Midsummer until frost. Amaranthus thrives in a warm location.

4017 **Molten Fire** Deep maroon foliage, each branch topped with a head of bright fiery crimson. Showy in foundation plantings. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

4019 Tricolor Splendens (Joseph's Coat) Scarlet-crimson foliage which is strikingly variegated yellow and bronze-green.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

### ANCHUSA — Summer Forget-me-not

4026 Blue Bird All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Attractive free-flowering plants with many long stems, each topped with a cluster of clear blue forget-me-not-like blooms, with white eye. Flowers grow in graceful sprays from early summer until late fall. 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

Perennial Anchusa, page 54.



4026 Anchusa, Blue Bird Pkt. 25¢



3013 Arctotis, Giant Mixed Pkt. 25¢

### **ARCTOTIS**

3013 **Giant Mixed** Dwarf free-blooming plants all summer and fall with large, daisy-like flowers,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across in white and shades of brown, apricot, yellow, pink, red, terra cotta and mauve. 10 in. Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{6}$ ; 2 pkts.  $45\frac{1}{6}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00

### BALSAM—Lady Slipper

Blooms during summer and early fall. Old favorite for beds and borders. Produces the best flowers if it is grown in rich, well-drained, slightly moist soil in full sun.

4362 Chamois Rose Large, double, chamois-rose flowers are freely borne on bushy plants 1½ ft. tall. A pleasing color. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

### **Double Camellia Flowered**

4046 All Colors Mixed Symmetrical bushy plants, grow 2 to 3 ft. tall, each of the branches covered with fully double blooms often growing up to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Pkt.  $20\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $60\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00

### **Double Flowered Dwarf**

3054 Mixed Colors Neat little bushes, only 8 in. high, with double and semi-double flowers in a wide range of the most pretty colors. A nice variety for edgings. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50



Burpee's Royal Balsams, 4357 Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

### **Burpee's Royal Balsams**

4357 Mixed Colors Far superior to the older kinds; the flowers are larger, like little roses, double and semi-double and more freely borne on tall, erect plants, 2 to 3 ft. high. Colors include lively salmon-cerise, glistening white, bright salmon-pink, purplish red and others. Sure to attract attention wherever it is used in the garden.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

### **BROWALLIA**—Amethyst

3064 Sapphire Neat, compact-growing plants, 10 in. tall, covered with large, dark blue, lobelia-like flowers with white eyes. These pretty flowers are freely produced during the summer and fall. Fine for beds, borders or winter blooming in the house.

Pkt. 35¢; ½44 oz. \$1.00



3048 Begonia, Prima Donna Pkt. 40¢

### **BEGONIAS**—Fibrous Rooted

Ideal everblooming plants for beds, borders, pots and window boxes. Succeed in full sun as well as half-shade. Stand wet weather. Valuable house plants in bloom all the year 'round. Grow 10 to 12 in. tall.

3019 Carmen Lovely bright rose colored flowers are freely borne in clusters above the attractive, dark bronzy red foliage.
Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½128 oz. \$2.00

3047 Christmas Cheer Large, dark crimson-scarlet flowers, which often attain a diameter of 2 in., are profusely borne above the clean, dark green foliage.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

3048 **Prima Donna** Rich coral-pink blooms tinted soft carmine are beautiful against the dark green foliage. Highly prized for its lovely color inside and outdoors. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

3059 Vernon The deep red flowers stand out in contrast to the rich bronzy purple foliage. Very free and continuous blooming. Plants remain showy over a long period.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

4048 Burpee's Special Mixture Colorful blend of white, pink, and red varieties with both green and bronze foliage. Very select. Surprisingly colorful. Readily grown from seed. Be sure to plant them in outdoor beds or borders; they make attractive pot-plants for home decoration in the summer as well as during the winter time. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½128 oz. \$2.00

Tuberous Rooted Begonia seeds, page 52

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4135 Bells of Ireland Pkt. 25¢

### BELLS OF IRELAND

4135 Odd, interesting and beautiful. Stems closely set with bell shaped bracts; translucent green in color, in the center of which is a small, two-lipped white flower. As plant matures, the tiny white flowers drop and only the green bracts remain. May be used as fresh cut flowers or dried for winter decoration. Grow 2½ ft. tall. Very popular.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75



4041 Blue Lace Flower Pkt. 25¢

### BLUE LACE FLOWER

Trachymene or didiscus coerulea

4041 Lace-like heads, about 21/2 in. across, 4041 Lace-like neads, about 2½ III. across, of many delicate lavender-blue flowers. Plants 1½ ft. and more tall; do best in cool localities. Pretty in border; lovely to cut. Its keeping qualities are remarkable.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

### BRACHYCOME

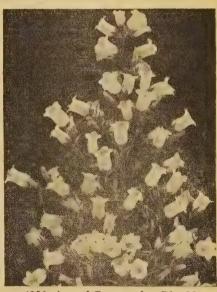
Swan River Daisy

3066 Mixed Colors Small blue, rose, dark violet and white cineraria-like flowers in a grand mixture. Free-flowering plants 12 in. tall that are in bloom nearly the entire summer. Brachycome is ideally suited for edgings, rock gardens or pots.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢

### CANARY BIRD FLOWER

3123 Very graceful, dainty climber with beautifully cut foliage and finely fringed, nasturtium-like flowers of rich canary yellow, which at a distance appear like tiny canary birds. Prefers semi-shade and fairly moist soil. Nice for cutting, 10 to 15 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60



4056 Annual Campanula Pkt. 25¢

### CAMPANULA—Canterbury Bells

4056 Mixed Colors All-America Gold Medal Winner. Shape of flowers and form of plant are the same as the biennial Canterbury Bells, but these bloom in less than six months from seed. Shades of lavender, blue, rose, pink, and white in a lovely mixture. Desirable for late beds and borders and price foretries. borders and nice for cutting. For earliest flowers, start indoors. Grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

Biennial and Perennial Campanulas, bage 55



4038 Calendula, Apricot Beauty Pkt. 25¢

3061 Glowing Gold As its name implies, the color is a brilliant, glowing gold, coming between golden and orange. The flowers are loose and fluffy petaled, extra large, double, up to 4 in. across. Glowing Gold was created by the use of X-Ray treatment.

3079 Orange Fluffy Bright mid-orange, intensified by a deep reddish brown eye. Flowers 3½ in. across, semi-double, with petals becoming increasingly shorter and more erect toward the center. Long stems. Orange Fluffy was created by X-Ray treatment.

**3572 Rays of Sunshine** Large, fluffy flowers in an unusually brilliant assortment of colors from soft primrose through buttery yellow to apricot and deep vivid orange. Some of the flowers have contrasting brown centers while some of the others have burnished petal edges. Superb for both garden and cutting.

4047 Yellow Colossal Huge, double, clear, bright yellow flowers that grow 4½ in. and more across. In addition to being very large, Yellow Colossal is also the most profuse blooming of all large-flowered calendulas. The outer petals are long, loose and gracefully curved; while the inner ones are shorter and incurved at center.

Any of the above Improved Catendulas: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.60

# IMPROVED CALENDULAS

Scotch or Pot Marigolds

These calendulas are far superior to the old-fashioned varieties in many respects; the flowers are larger, longer stemmed, fuller and of richer colors, and therefore are better both for cutting and garden decoration. Of the easiest culture, succeeding in ordinary, well-drained soil and, where summers are not too hot, plants will bloom from early summer until frost and furnish an endless supply of long-lasting cut flowers. Sow seed in early spring. In hot sections, another sowing may be made in early summer to furnish blooms in the cool fall days. Plants grow 15 to 24 in. tall, depending on the variety used and the locality in which it is grown.

# Pacific Beauty Calendulas

Pacific Beauty Calendulas are beautiful and seem to withstand summer heat better than other varieties of calendulas. This family of Calendula is a strain of uniformly large flowers of excellent form, long, straight stems and clear colors. Be sure to grow them.

**4038 Apricot Beauty** An attractive two-toned effect, suggesting the warm colorings of apricots that is most pleasing.

3076 Cream Beauty Delicate creamy white shading to a lovely, soft, light yellow which is a most refreshing color.

3068 Lemon Beauty Long, wide petaled flowers of pure lemon yellow. A flower of impressive beauty in the garden or when cut.

**3072 Persimmon Beauty** Clear persimmon-orange of the most unusual brilliance. Splendid for cutting and garden use.

4055 Pacific Beauty Mixture Special blend of the above four varieties of these newer, large calendulas for a grand showing.

Any of the above Pacific Beauty Calendulas: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.60

### **Pacific Beauty Calendulas**

4821—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above four separate varieties, value \$1.00 for only 85¢

4054 Giant Double Mixed Largest-flowered varieties, including all of the best colors in a carefully blended mixture of such outstanding varieties as Yellow Colossal, Glowing Gold, Orange Fluffy, and others not yet named. A gay mixture for garden effect at the same time providing plenty of flowers for cutting.

Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $60 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.10

**4051 All Varieties Mixed** Blend of large-flowered, double and semi-double yellow and orange calendulas. Pleasing effect in the garden or as cut flowers, some with contrastingly colored centers. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢;

# CALIFORNIA POPPIES—Eschscholtzia

Dainty, free-flowering plants of easiest culture, with gaily colored, satiny poppy-like flowers. Well adapted for beds and edgings; for vases, cut buds when they show color. The spreading varieties grow 1 ft. tall; the erect growing varieties attain a height of 15 to 18 in. California Poppies bloom early, furnishing an abundance of flowers until frost.



California Poppy 4239 Monarch Mixed Pkt. 20¢

### **Double and Semi-Double**

**Spreading Varieties** 

3366 Sweetheart Large, double flowers of flaming rose on cream ground. Petals are handsomely fluted and crinkled, which gives them the appearance of a double flowering begonia. A much admired beauty.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4226 Double Mixed A mixture of the best named double and semi-double spread ing varieties, in a choice color range with many gorgeous bicolor effects.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4239 Monarch Mixed Mixture of the finest semi-double varieties. A border or a bed is a gorgeous riot of colors.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

Single Flowering—Spreading 4236 Sunset Mixture A blend of many pretty colors varying from lightest yellow to dark red. Free blooming dwarf plants.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

Average heights and blooming season are given in the descriptions; some variation is natural, depending on local conditions.



4062 Carnation, Giant Marguerite Pkt. 25¢

### CARNATIONS

4062 Giant Marguerite Mixed Delightfully fragrant, fringed flowers of the largest size for cutting in a blend of all colors—whites, lovely rose and pink shades, salmon, deep red, scarlet, dark blood-red and yellow. Plants flower within five months from seed; in localities where summers are short tort and the salmonth of the salmonth mers are short, start seed early indoors. This strain is hardy in moderate climates where it may be grown successfully as a biennial. The plants grow 15 to 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60

# CALLIOPSIS—Tall and Dwarf

Decorative plants with finely cut foliage and gay, daisy-like flowers in a wide variation of yellow, orange and red tones. Bloom continuously from early summer until frost. Easily grown in almost any location and soil. Calliopsis is fine for beds, borders and cutting.

### DWARF GROWING

4078 Mixed Colors Shades of vellow and orange, mahogany-brown and crimson; many prettily marked and tigered, 9 to 12 in. high, ideal for edgings, rock gardens and short-stemmed cut flowers.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

### TALL GROWING

3074 Drummondi (Golden Large golden-yellow flowers with a circle of reddish brown around the center are freely borne on long, wiry stems. Grow 20 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4058 Tall Mixed Colors Contains the 4058 Tall Wixed Colors Contains the finest large and small-flowered tall calliopsis in a riot of colors. Showy in the garden; grand for cutting. Grow 20 to 36 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10

3075 Alldouble Tall Mixed Flowers are practically all double, 1 to 1½ in, across, and come in all colors and color combinations to be seen in calliopsis—delightful combinations of yellow, orange, maroon, crimson and mahogany. Grows 3 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

Perennial Calliopsis, see Coreopsis, page 58.



3074 Calliopsis drummondi Pkt. 20¢

# CANDYTUFT—Iberis

Well-known, dwarf, profuse flowering plants of easy culture. Charming for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens and cutting. Comes into flower quickly. For a continuous display make several sowings 2 to 3 weeks apart. All varieties do best where summers are cool.

### HYACINTH FLOWERED

4358 lceberg The largest hyacinth flowered candytuft and the tallest growing. Flowers are pure white; plants much branched, each topped with a big, hyacinth-like spike of bloom. Grows 12 to 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

4068 Pure White Several pure white, long and thick hyacinth-like spikes per head. Showy and attractive. 1 ft. plants. Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3125 Little Prince Dainty hyacinth-like spikes of pure white on dwarf plants, 6 in. high. Excellent for edging beds and borders; pot-plants and in the rock garden.

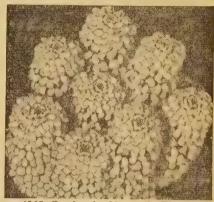
Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

### UMBELLATA TYPE

4052 All Colors Mixed Umbel or umbrella-shaped flower heads in an attractive blend of carmine, flesh pink, lilac, rose, cardinal and white. Plants grow 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 40¢; ½ oz. 70¢

Perennial Candytuft, page 59.



Hyacinth Flowered ite Pkt. 20¢ Candytuft, Hy Pure White

### CARDINAL CLIMBER

4059 Quick-growing climber with cardinalausy Quick-growing climber with cardinal-scarlet blooms, 1 to 1½ in, across in lovely contrast to the glossy dark green foliage so finely cut as to give little or no shade. It is grown extensively-for its spectacular display of flowers. Vines grow 15 ft, tall, and are in bloom all summer long until frost. Cardinal Climber does well in any good soil in a sunny location. The throat is white.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 95¢; ½ oz. \$1.75



3375 Castor Oil Plant, Red Spire Pkt. 25¢

### CASTOR OIL PLANT—Ricinus

Magnificent, tall, large-leaved plants of tropical appearance. Beautiful for back-grounds and large group plantings. Plants are toxic; seeds are poisonous if eaten whole.

3375 Red Spire Large purplish leaves changing to bronzy green. Stems, stalks and veins are rich red; seed spikes and seed pods are brilliant rosy crimson. 6 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢

3364 Zanzibar Mixed Of enormous growth, 10 to 12 ft. high. Rich green lobed leaves that measure 2½ ft. and more across. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢

4289 Mixed Varieties Best varieties, with large green, red and bronze leaves are contained in this mixture. 8 to 10 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 50¢



Tall Chinese Forget-me-not 4106 Blanche Burpee Pkt. 25¢

### CHINESE FORGET-ME-NOTS

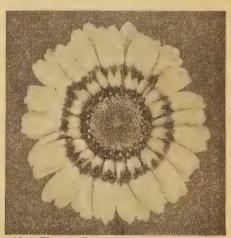
Cynoglossum

Graceful, loose sprays of large forget-me-not-like flowers are freely produced throughout the summer on strong plants. Of easiest culture; anyone can grow it in any good garden soil. Stands heat. Firma-ment is a dwarf variety suited for beds, borders, edgings and rock gardens.

4106 Blanche Burpee Named in honor of Mrs. W. Atlee Burpee. This outstanding mixture of cynoglossums contains white, deep blue, light and mid-blue shades. As the blue and white flowers are so airy and graceful, this choice mixture of large forget-menot-like flowers is highly prized for garden decoration. They produce a showy display throughout the summer months. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.

3153 Firmament All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Dwarf plants, 15 in. high, covered with bright indigo-blue flowers for a long time during the summer. A "blue" gem for any low bed or border planting.

Either variety of Chinese Forget-me-nots: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



4349 Chrysanthemum, Single Mixed Pkt. 20¢

### SUMMER CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Of the easiest culture, doing best in fairly heavy soil. The plants bloom profusely during the summer and fall, especially in sections where summers are not too hot. Summer chrysanthemums provide a wealth of strikingly beautiful cutting material.

4349 Finest Single Mixed (Painted Daisies) Many of the large flowers are of one color, but most of them are beautifully zoned or ringed with multi-colored bands that are strikingly beautiful. Grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3094 Yellowstone Intense sulphur-yellow double flowers of the finest form are freely borne on good, straight stems. The color is most appealing and the shape of the flowers is distinct. Nice for cutting, 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60

3091 Coronarium Double Mixed Button-shaped, double blooms,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, in white and shades of yellow. 18 in. Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{6}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75\frac{1}{6}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

Perennial Chrysanthemums, page 56.

### CORNFLOWERS—Bachelor's Buttons, Ragged Robin

### Centaurea cyanus

Plants grow 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, and if faded flowers are kept cut will produce large double blooms on long stems throughout the summer. Fine for beds, borders and cutting.

4074 Blue Boy Bright cornflower-blue.

3147 Pinkie Exquisite light pink shade.

3097 Red Boy Deep glowing red. Showy.

3098 Snow Man Glistening pure white.

Any of the above 4 colors:

Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.10

**4073 Special Mixture** All the above. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $45\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $85\phi$ 

3085 Old Glory Bachelor's Buttons tic mixture of red, white and blue. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.20

### **Sweet Sultans**

4072 Giant All Colors Mixed Glorious mixture of very large flowers that are sure to attract attention. Bloom freely for many weeks during the summer. The longstemmed, sweet-scented flowers are exquisitely fringed. Plants grow 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 60%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.10

**Four Choice Cornflowers** Blue Boy, Red Boy, Pinkie and Snow Man

4713—SPECIAL: One pkt. 60¢

### **Dwarf Double Cornflowers**

3092 Jubilee Gem All-America Winner. Bushy, compact plants, 1 ft. tall covered with large, double, dark blue flowers. A favorite for rock gardens. Good for cutting. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10

### Centaurea Americana

3095 Lilac 3 ft. plants produce a great display of 4 in. thistle-like, lilac-blue blooms during July and August. Largest of all annual centaureas. Very easily grown.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

Perennial Centaurea, page 56



4074 Cornflower, Blue Boy Pkt. 20¢

### CLARKIA

4118 Finest Double Mixed Dainty double flowers resemble those of the flowering almond. Does best in sections where summers do not get too hot. Prefers semishade. Salmon, pink, mauve, rose, carmine, purple, white and red. Keeps well, 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

### CLEOME — Spider Plant

4045 Pink Queen All-America Silver Medal Winner. Huge trusses of bright, salmon-pink flowers from early summer until late fall. Attractive in tall borders and backgrounds. Stands heat. 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

Flowers from seed are so easy to grow. There is really no excuse for any home not having plenty of beautiful perennials and annuals.



4076 Burpee's Sunset Coleus Pkt. 50¢

### COLEUS

Brilliantly colored foliage plants suitable for beds, borders, pots, and edgings to taller plants. To get the best coloring, the plants should be grown in full sun. 20 in. tall.

4069 Fine Mixed Leaves are not so large as Burpee's Sunset. Colors are very bright. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.25

4076 Burpee's Sunset, Mixed The leaves are beautifully marked and prettily variegated, rich and brilliant in their colorings. Wonderfully decorative; many snaces and interesting combinations with green, red and yellow colorings predominating. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 1/32 oz. \$2.00

### CYPRESS VINE

3081 Mixed Quick-growing climber with attractive, trumpet-shaped flowers, 1 to 1½ in. across. The scarlet and white flowers are in contrast to the graceful leaves. Excellent for training on porches or trellises. Fernlike rich green foliage. Vines grow to 10 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10



4125 Celosia, Toreador Pkt. 25¢



4057 Lilliput Celosia, Fire Feather Pkt. 35¢

# CELOSIA OR COCKSCOMB

An old-fashioned flower greatly improved. Blooms from midsummer until frost. Easily grown in any soil. Flowers are good for cutting and last a long time if dried.

### Crested Cockscomb

(Celosia cristata)

The name "cockscomb" applies to this group, for the flower heads, as will be seen from the picture of Toreador, surely have a resemblance to the form of a rooster's comb. Crested Cockscombs do best in light soil.

4125 **Toreador** All-America Bronze Medal Winner. The flower heads or combs, 6 to 9 in. across, are bright red with scarlet highlights. Foliage is light green. 20 in. Pkt. 25¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.80

4066 Tall Mixed Extra fine colors in a well-blended mixture. Grow 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

4065 Empress (nana) Most impressive cockscomb which deserves a place in every garden; prized for cutting, fresh or dried. The dwart plants, which average 10 in. in height, have dark, bronzy foliage and huge combs of deep, velvety crimson-purple.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60

4067 Dwarf Mixed (nana) Many fine shades of yellow, orange, crimson, purple, rose and red in mixture. The large flower heads or combs are much used when dried for winter decoration in the home. 10 in.

Pkt. 25%; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

### Giant Plumed or Tall Feathered

Showy, well-branched plants with long, silky, feathery plumes. Effective in beds and borders; useful for cutting.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft.

4361 Flaming Fire Showy, bright orange-scarlet, tall plumed celosias for garden decoration and cutting. Rich shade. Pkt.  $35 \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.25

3083 Golden Fleece Feathery plumes open soft yellow changing to clear yellow. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60

3084 Pride of Castle Gould Large, ostrich-feather-like plumes of yellow, scar-let, crimson, and orange-red in a blend. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

4061 Mixed Colors Reds and yellows. Pkt.  $20 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $60 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.10

### Lilliput or Dwarf Feathered

Dwarf, compact plants, often producing from 15 to 20 branches, each tipped with brilliant silky plumes. Great bloomer. 1 ft.

4057 Fire Feather Fiery crimson color. 3082 Golden Feather Deep yellow.

Either variety of Lilliput Celosia Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

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### SUMMER AND FALL COSMOS

Beautiful summer and fall blooming plants; decorative in the garden and wonderful for cutting. We offer early flowered types only which are especially desirable where the growing season is short. All varieties of cosmos are very easy to grow.

### Sensation Cosmos (Early Mammoth)

Giant single flowers, 4 to 6 in. across, are had within 10 weeks from seed and are borne most profusely until frost on robust plants, 4 to 6 ft. high. Flowers have prettily fluted petals which slightly overlap.

**4071 Radiance** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Deep rose distinctly overlaid with rich crimson toward the yellow eyed center.

3101 Pink Charming rose-pink shade; highly prized for cutting.

3105 White Noted for purity. Nice alone or with the others.

4083 Mixed Colors White and various shades of pink. Pretty. Any of the above: Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 65¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.10

4367 Burpee's Primrose Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Good, clean primrose-yellow flowers, 2½ in. across, cover the upright, well-branched plants which grow about 3 ft. tall. Very early to come into bloom.

**4079 Burpee's Yellow** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Companion to Burpee's Primrose and Orange Flare and like them in earliness and plant habit. The color is bright yellow, with faint, darker golden shadings. Plants are of bushy growth, 3 ft. tall.

**4084 Fiesta** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Flowers are golden orange flashed or striped with scarlet. Early. 2½ ft.

3111 Orange Flare All-America Gold Medal Winner. Varianched plants, 3 ft. tall, covered with golden orange flowers.

3113 Yellow and Orange Special mixture of Burpee's Yellow and Orange Flare cosmos which complement each other so nicely.

Any of the above 5 unusual Yellow and Orange Cosmos: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



### Mammoth Sensation Early Cosmos

Radiance, deep rose overlaid rich crimson; Pink, rose-pink; White, pure white.

4712—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these three varieties, 3 pkts. in all, value 60¢ for only



3144 Dahlias, Pompon Mixed Pkt. 50¢

3144 Pompon Mixed The smallest of all dahlias; flowers are ballshaped in a wide color range on rather compact plants. Stems are of good length for cutting purposes. Prolific and continuous blooming. 3 ft.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75

### **Dwarf Growing Dahlias**

4393 Sunburst Semi-double flowers about 3 in. across in a glorious galaxy of colors including soft pinks, deep rose, salmon, buff, yellow, orange, scarlet and crimson. Early flowering, bushy plants 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Excellent for low borders; lovely for cutting. Good keepers.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.75

4087 Coltness Single Hybrids Mixed Lovely, single flowers, 3 in. across, with smooth or fluted petals in many colors. Good for cutting; showy in beds or borders. Profuse blooming plants. 1½ to 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4085 Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids Semi-double 3 in. flowers in a varied assortment of colors. Early flowering. 1½ to 2 ft. tall. Valuable for cutting and a favorite with those who prefer medium-sized blooms. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85

3142 Zulu Mostly shades of crimson and scarlet enlivened by a few orange, gold and lilac double blooms on long stems. Black-leaved foliage. Unusual. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

Roots of Decorative, Cactus and Pompon Dahlias, pages 110 and 111.

# DAHLIAS FROM SEED

It is easy and fascinating to grow dahlias from seed. Seeds of the tall dahlias should be started early indoors; the seed of the dwarf varieties may be sown in the open when the soil has become warm. Dwarf growing varieties reproduce fairly true to type, but tall growing kinds can be expected to produce some singles and semi-doubles as well as full doubles.

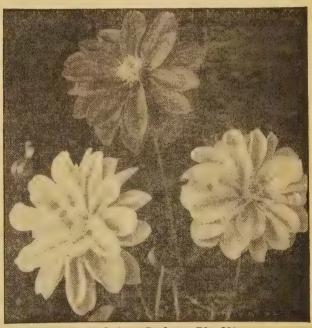
### **Tall Growing Dahlias**

3174 Decorative Double Mixed Large flowered; many choice decorative varieties in a wide range of best colors. Free bloomer. 3 to 5 ft. Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.35; 1/8 oz. \$2.50

3115 Cactus Flowered Mixed A select strain of double and semidouble cactus-flowered blooms in many self and two-toned colors. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt.  $50 \, \varepsilon$ ; 2 pkts.  $95 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.75

4098 Large Flowered Double Mixed Seed has been saved from the finest double flowers of the formal and informal decorative, cactus and semi-cactus types in a select assortment of best colors and attractive markings. Plants are strong growing, 3 to 5 ft. tall. Profuse blooming.

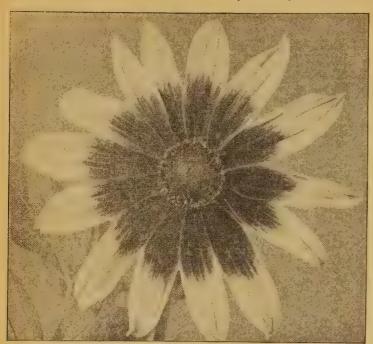
Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.35; 1/8 oz. \$2.50



4393 Dahlia, Sunburst Pkt. 50¢

### GLORIOSA DAISIES—Glorified Black-eyed-Susans

(Giant Hybrid Tetraploid Rudbeckia)



4397 Gloriosa Daisies, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00

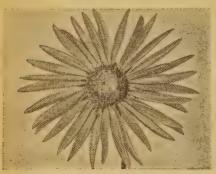
4397 Gloriosa Daisies, Mixed Colors Spectacular giant blooms of bright yellow, rich mahogany and glorious bicolors in many patterns of golden orange and gold, mahogany and bronze and mahogany and gold. Bicoloring is in well-defined circular patterns. The long, broad petals of the bold, gaily colored blooms are set off by dark, velvety centers in vivid contrast to the petals.

Gloriosa Daisies are easy-to-grow, with flowers up to 7 in. across on long strong stems which completely top the 3 ft. plants.

Gloriosa Daisies are dependable and will thrive even under adverse conditions. Unlike many other hardy annuals, these Glorified Black-eyed Susans will stand drought, both hot and very cold weather, even freezing. When planted in masses or for accent, Gloriosa Daisies will brighten the garden from early summer until late fall and produce an abundance of gorgeous, long lasting cut flowers.

Gloriosa Daisies are larger, with better colorings, longer and more petals than the best native rudbeckias. They get their tremendous size from their hybrid origin and tetraploidy. They are the most sensational new flowers of many years.

Pkt.  $25\not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.85



4088 Tahoka Daisy Pkt. 25¢

### TAHOKA DAISY

4088 Bushy, compact plants with fern-like foliage. Flowers are 2 in. across, composed of a single row of narrow, pointed, lilac-blue petals surrounding a golden yellow, disclike center. Blooms early and profusely throughout the summer and fall. 20 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60

### DELPHINIUM ANNUAL

3124 Choicest Mixed Blue and white flowers are produced freely on well-branched stems from June to September. If started early, plants will flower the first season from seed. May be grown also as a biennial.

1 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

Perennial Delphinium, page 57



3124 Annual Delphinium Mixed Pkt. 25¢

### **DIANTHUS** Annual Pinks

Brilliantly colored, sweet-scented flowers for beds, borders, rock gardens, edgings and cutting. Plants grow about 1 ft. tall except where noted, are free blooming and produce flowers of different forms and colorings, 1 to 3 in. across, from July until frost. In addition to self colors, some are edged, blotched or eyed with contrasting colors. Of easiest culture, succeeding in ordinary garden loam. Annual pinks may be grown as a biennial where the winters are mild.

### **Double Dianthus**

3118 **Snowball** Large, pure snow white, double flowers with finely fringed petals. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3134 Chinensis Double Mixed Fine blooms in clusters on upright, strong stems. White, pink, rose, scarlet, crimson, with some pleasing bicolors. Showy type for garden use and wonderful for cutting.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3135 Fringed and Laciniated, Double Mixed Lovely carnation-like flowers in a wide range of colors, many with contrasting edges and fancy patterns.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

3131 **Double Mixed** Of many showy colors and markings. Heddewigi type. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3114 Dwarf Double Mixed Wide range of colors; dwarf, compact plants, 6 in. tall. Ideal for low borders and edgings.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

### **Single Dianthus**

3136 Floradale Flowers are large, single, with deeply laciniated petals. Practically every color known in dianthus is in this mixture—from white to deepest crimson.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4119 Fordhook Favorites, Single and Double Mixed Splendid blend of both single and double flowered varieties, varieties in this gay and showy mixture.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

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Dianthus, Double Flowered 3118 Snowball Pkt. 25¢



Dianthus, Single Flowered 3136 Floradale Pkt. 25¢

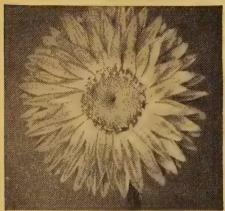
### DUSTY MILLER

### Centaurea gymnocarpa

3086 Finely divided, silvery-white leaves of a woolly texture. Lavender flowers in late summer. Attractive for accent purposes, in borders, beds and vases. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

# **EVERLASTINGS, STRAWFLOWERS AND GOURDS**

With the exception of Job's Tears, Briza maxima, Gourds and Honesty, the varieties listed on this page are desirable for use as fresh cut flowers, and largely grown to dry for winter bouquets. Job's Tears is an annual grass grown for its grayish white seeds which are strung as beads. Briza maxima holds its paniety for its grayish white seeds which are strung as beads. Briza maxima holds its paniety for its grayish grown to the particle of the strung as personnel. dried flowers. Gourd fruits, when dried, are used for ornaments. Honesty is prized for its satiny, parchment-like partitions of the dried seed pods. The best method to dry the flowers and Briza maxima grass is to cut the material before it is fully developed, remove foliage, bunch loosely, and hang head downward in a cool, airy, shady place. The flowers of Celosia (Cockscomb), page 18, also last a long time if dried as you would everlastings. Flowers should be fresh and free from water. Dry them slowly and never over artificial heat.



3002 Acroclinium, Double Mixed Pkt. 15¢

### ACROCLINIUM (Helipterum)

3002 Double, Mixed Colors Double and semi-double daisy-like flowers 2 in. across with strawy petals. White, chamois, flesh color and rose in mixture. Nice used fresh or to dry for winter bouquets. 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.10

### **EVERLASTING FLOWERS**

4117 Mixed Varieties Included are different flowers that can be dried for winter bouquets—Acroclinium, Globe Amaranth, Helichrysum, Honesty, Statice, etc.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3141 Burpee's Best Mixture Choice assortment of the finest flowers and grasses best suited for drying. A superb mixture. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

### GRASS, ORNAMENTAL

3236 Briza maxima (Quaking Grass) The bushy plants grow 12 to 15 in. tall and bear a profusion of oddly formed, flattened cone-shaped heads. Useful for edges in beds and borders. May be dried for winter decoration or used in the fresh state.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25

### **GLOBE AMARANTH**

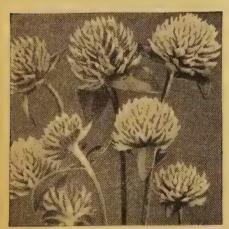
Gomphrena globosa

4094 Mixed Colors

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Attractive, clover-like, white, pink, flesh and red strawy flower heads, about 34 in. across, in a choice mixture. Bloom from midsummer until frost. May be used as fresh cut flowers or dried as an everlasting. 1½ to 2 ft.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/4 oz. 60¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.10



4094 Globe Amaranth, Mixed Colors Pkt. 20¢



4103 Helichrysum, Mixed Colors Pkt. 15¢

### **HELICHRYSUM**—Strawflower

4103 Mixed Colors Colors include crimson, rose, salmon, yellow and white. Large, double flowers, often 2½ in, and more across, are borne profusely from midsummer until fall. The most widely grown of all everlastings for winter bouquets and popular too as fresh cut flowers. 2½ ft, tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

### GOURDS, ORNAMENTAL

The ripened fruits, when dried, are used for ornaments and in recent years have become extremely popular for home decoration. Do best when trained on fence, arbor or trellis.

3275 Small Gourds Mixed Included are varieties shaped like an apple, orange, pear, nest egg, miniature bottle and others.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10

3272 Big Gourds Mixed The best of the large fruited varieties, including calabash, dipper, dishcloth, sugar trough and others. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10

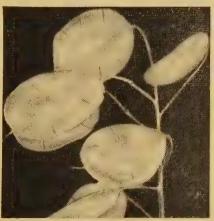
4104 All Kinds Mixed Large and small fruited gourds of many shapes in mixture.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25

### HONESTY—Lunaria annua

4102 A popular everlasting, grown exten-4102 A popular everlasting, grown extensively for the silvery white, paper-like, flattened partitions of the round seed pods, which, when dried, make attractive winter decorations. Purple flowers. 1½ to 2½ ft.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25



4102 Honesty (Lunaria annua) Pkt. 20¢



3444 Statice sinuata, Deep Rose Pkt. 20¢

### STATICE SINUATA (Limonium)

Splendid clusters of strawy blooms on stiff stems. Unique colorings and light, graceful, oddly formed sprays. Lasts for months when dried. Effective alone or with other everlastings, and in fresh or dried condition. Easy to grow. 2 to 2½ ft. high.

3444 Deep Rose Pleasing shade of rose.

3466 Market Growers Blue Deep blue.

3457 Pure White Large heads of white. Any of the above:

Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 55%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00

3443 Mixed Colors Blue, rose and white. Pkt.  $15 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $50 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $95 \, \varepsilon$ 

4266 Art Shades Wonderful mixture, including fawn. pink, red, salmon, mauve, yellow, white, blue and nearest to orange.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

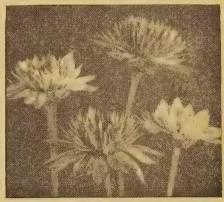
### JOB'S TEARS—Coix lacryma

3188 An ornamental grass which does well anywhere in ordinary soil; widely grown for its large, hard and shiny gray seeds which, when dried, are strung as beads. Usual height, 2 to 3 ft., sometimes taller.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; 2 ozs. 90¢

### XERANTHEMUM

3429 Mixed Colors Charming, silky flowers which are highly prized for dried bouquets. Our mixture includes white and shades of bright rose and purple. 2 ft. tall, Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.40



3429 Xeranthemum, Mixed Colors Pht. 25¢



4099 Forget-me-not, Alpestris Blue Pkt. 25¢

# FORGET-ME-NOT-Myosofis

If sown early, Alpestris varieties will bloom in early spring; they delight in well-drained soil and a sunny location. Other varieties listed will flower from May until frost and prefer cool, moist loam and half-shade. Both groups are old favorites, highly prized for beds, borders, rock gardens, pots and cutting. Plants are dwarf, compact and grow 1 ft. tall.

### **Alpestris Varieties**

4099 Blue Brilliant blue flowers are borne e greatest profusion. Dainty; popular. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

3152 Rose Exquisite sprays of delicate rose-pink flowers produced in abundance. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8} \, \text{oz.} \, \$1.00$ ;  $\frac{1}{4} \, \text{oz.} \, \$1.85$ 

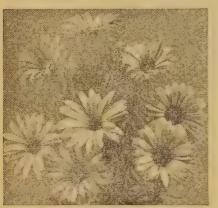
4347 Mixed Colors White, rose and varying shades of blue in a grand mixture. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

3156 Blue Bird The dwarf compact plants are covered with beautiful deep blue flowers which are highly prized for both summer and indoor winter flowering.

3155 Palustris semperflorens Clearest sky-blue flowers. Plants are everblooming.

Either of the above Forget-Me-Nots: Pkt. 25 ¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.85

Chinese Forget-me-not, Cynoglossum, page 17



4086 Dimorphotheca, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

### DIMORPHOTHECA

African Daisies—Cape Marigold

4086 Mixed Colors Daisy-like flowers  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across; white, sulphur-yellow, golden yellow, salmon, rose, apricot, ecru, and other colors in mixture. Nice for rock gardens, edgings, and cutting. Bloom early and continue for a long time. 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.60



4091 Euphorbia marginata Pkt. 25¢

### EUPHORBIA

Snow-on-the-Mountain

4091 Marginata or Variegata The green 4091 Marginata or Variegata The green leaves are broadly veined and margined with white; topmost leaves are almost all white. Colorful foliage plants which add beauty to the tall border, foundation plantings and groups. Easily grown; do well in dry soil. Stems have a milky juice; do not get in eyes, mouth or cuts. 3 to 4 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25

### FOUR O'CLOCKS—Marvel-of-Peru

4149 Mixed Colors Popular old-fashioned plant, whose flowers open in the afternoon if day is sunny or all day if it is cloudy. Red, pink, lilac, yellow, white and often several colors will be found in varying degrees in one flower. Easily grown everywhere. Blooms from July until frost. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; 2 ozs. \$1.00

# GAILLARDIA—Gay Flower

### **Double Gaillardias**

4095 Tetra Fiesta Originated by treating Fiesta Gaillardia with colchicine. As a result, the flowers are much larger and the stems longer and stronger for cutting. Flowers 3 in. across, with brilliant smoky red quilled petals tipped bright yellow.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; ½ oz. \$2.00

3157 Red Unusual pleasing claret-red flowers of beautiful form and color. Pkt.  $25\,\varepsilon$ ; 1/4 oz.  $85\,\varepsilon$ ; 1/2 oz. \$1.40

3179 Yellow Rich, deep yellow shade. Lovely in the garden; fine for cutting. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.40

4101 Gaiety Double Mixed Claret, yellow, sulphur, orange, maroon, with many such colors often combined in the one flower; some contrastingly tipped yellow.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.10

### Large Flowered Double Gaillardias

Tetra Fiesta, Red and Yellow 4731—SPECIAL: One pkt. of 75¢

3165 Single Gaillardias, Mixed Colors Many fine colors and color combinations. Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

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4092 Feverfew, Golden Ball Pkt. 25¢

### FEVERFEW

Easily grown in any good soil, succeeding even in semi-shade. Showy plants that are attractive in the garden; fine for cutting.

4092 Golden Ball Masses of small, double, golden yellow blooms like tiny chrysanthemums. Compact plants, 8 in. high.

3145 Lemon Bull Small, globular lemon-yellow double flowers. Bushy 8 in. plants.

4096 Snowball Pure white, small, double, rounded flowers. Plants grow 10 in. tall.

Any of the above Feverfews:

Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75



4095 Tetra Fiesta Gaillardia Pkt. 35¢



3168 Godetia, Kelvedon Glory Pkt. 25¢

### GODETIA — Satin Flower

Attractive bushy plants with masses of large, colorful blooms during the summer and fall. Thrive best in a cool, moist soil and a half-shady location. Ideally suited for beds and borders. Nice for cutting.

3168 Kelvedon Glory Vivid salmonorange, each petal margined with white from the base to almost the edges. 18 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

3164 All Colors Mixed Rose, carmine, pink, cattleya-blue, white, etc., in many shades and combinations. 12 to 15 in. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3132 **Dwarf Show Mixture** Large single blooms,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across, in shades of rose, pink, scarlet, lavender and white, are borne on dwarf, bushy plants growing 1 ft. high. Pkt.  $25\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $85\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.40

# GERANIUM—Pelargonium hortorum

4343 Floradale Fancy Mixed Enormous flower heads in many colors, including white, shades of pink, rose, salmon and scarlet to deep crimson, in mixture. Very easily grown from seed; prefer a light, sunny position. Popular plants for beds and borders in the garden, urns and window-boxes; make excellent house plants as they can be had in bloom almost all the year 'round. Our specially selected strain grown on Burpee's Floradale Farms. The vigorous plants grow 18 in. and more tall. Geraniums may be grown as a perennial in frost-free locations.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.25; 1/16 oz. \$2.25



Ornamental Gourds 4104 All Kinds Mixed Pkt. 25&

### GOURDS, ORNAMENTAL

The ripened fruits, when dried, are used for ornaments and in recent years have become extremely popular for home decoration. Do best when trained on fence, arbor or trellis.

3275 Small Gourds Mixed Included are varieties shaped like an apple, orange, pear, nest egg, miniature bottle and others. Pkt.  $20 \, \text{\'e}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, \text{oz.} \, 60 \, \text{\'e}$ ; oz. \$1.10

3272 Big Gourds Mixed The best of the large fruited varieties, including calabash, dipper, dishcloth, sugar trough and others.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10

4104 All Kinds Mixed Large and small fruited gourds of many shapes in mixture. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.25



4111 Gypsophila King of the Market Pkt. 15¢

### **GYPSOPHILA**

Annual Baby's Breath

Well-known, open, bell-shaped blooms used so much for mixing with other flowers in bouquets and vases. Easy to grow.

4111 King of the Market Plants bear many sprays filled with very large, pure white flowers. Early bloomer. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 55¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3162 **Rose** Pure bright rose. Rich.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25

Perennial Gypsophila, page 58.

### HUNNEMANNIA

Santa Barbara Poppy

3186 Sunlite All-America Silver Medal Winner. Semi-double, canary-yellow, tulipshaped flowers with an extra row of short petals on the outside. July until frost. Does best in well limed sandy soil. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25



4109 Heliotrope, Giant, Mixed Colors Pht. 35¢

### HELIOTROPE

Everyone loves the fragrance and beauty of heliotrope. Excellent bedding plants in summer; desirable pot-plants during winter. Succeeds in any good soil and full sun.

4108 Mme. Bruant Dark violet-blue with a contrasting, showy white eye,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Pkt.  $25 \cancel{\varepsilon}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85 \cancel{\varepsilon}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4109 Giant, Mixed Colors Many shades ranging from pure white to violet-blue. Very large heads of rare beauty. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25



3187 Hollyhock, Indian Spring

### HOLLYHOCK

Grown as annuals because the plants will flower the first season from seed if it is started early. Nice for backgrounds.

3187 Indian Spring All-America Silver Medal Winner. Semi-double fringed flowers in shades of pink. Plants are 4 to 5 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3185 All Colors Mixed Single, semi-double and double flowers in a wide range of many pretty colors. Plants grow 6 ft. tall. Pkt.  $15 \phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $35 \phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $60 \phi$ 

Perennial Hollyhocks, page 59.



4105 Kochia Pkt. 20¢

### KOCHIA - Burning Bush

4105 Symmetrical oval plants, 3 ft. tall, resembling an ornamental evergreen. Fine for summer hedges. Light green foliage which turns to bright carmine in late fall. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00

### LAVATERA—Annual Mallow

3202 Loveliness Large bowl-shaped pink flowers shaded carmine on shrubby 2½ ft. plants from midsummer until frost.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60



3181 Linaria maroccana Pkt. 20¢

### LINARIA

3181 Maroccana, Excelsior Mixed Dwarf, free-flowering plants with small spikes of dainty snapdragon-like flowers. Shades of crimson and gold, pink, mauve, blue, chamois, and rose, blotched with different shades on the lip. Good rock garden subject and nice for cutting. 15 in.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 80¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

3885 Cymbalaria Small, lilac-blue flow-3885 Cymbolaria Small, lilac-blue flowers on trailing stems throughout the summer. Desirable for rock gardens, ground covers, hanging baskets, window boxes or for small trellises indoors. Plants are 4 to 6 in. tall; will grow up to 3 ft. in length.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

# Burpee's Giant STEEPLECHASE LARKSPUR

HEAT RESISTANT-ALL CREATED ON BURPEE'S FORDHOOK FARMS

Giant Steeplechase larkspurs have the biggest double flowers, longer and stronger spikes of all annual larkspurs. Spring and summer flowering; heat resistant. A slight difference in blooming time and heights of the different colors adds interest to any planting. Gorgeous for garden and cutting.

Steeplechase Sky Blue and Steeplechase White Were Highly Commended by The Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain.

4122 Steeplechase Blue The largest flowered of all larkspurs. Intense dark blue flowers on erect plants. 5 ft.

4127 Steeplechase Sky Blue Soft blue. 41/2 ft. tall.

4077 Steeplechase White Large white flowers. 41/2 ft.

4126 Steeplechase Pink Lovely salmon-rose. 4 ft. tall.

4121 Steeplechase Red Bright carmine-red. 4 ft. tall.

4124 Steeplechase All Colors Mixed The above for a glorious display in the garden or in bouquets when cut.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 85¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.50

### Five Gorgeous Steeplechase Larkspurs

4812—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all five separate colors of Burpee's Tall Giant Steeplechase Larkspurs, value \$1.25 for only

### Giant Imperial Larkspurs—Grow upright like delphinium

Attractive flower-spikes, 3 to 4 ft. tall, which stand upright, close to the center stalk—a decided improvement on older spreading types especially where space is limited. Abundance of well-formed, large, double flowers in a wonderful range of the most desirable colors. Always attracts attention.

3182 Dark Blue Spire Intense oxford-blue.

3191 Los Angeles Luminous salmon-rose.

3206 Ruby Genuine ruby red. Distinct color.

3194 White King Nice alone or with others. **4114 Mixed Colors** Special mixture of these and other varieties of the Giant Imperial type. Provide wide selection of colors for cutting.

Any of the above Giant Imperial Larkspurs: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 50¢; 1/4 oz. 95¢

4711—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 4 separate colors of Giant Imperial Larkspurs, value 60¢ for only

### **Burpee Wonder Larkspurs**

Created on Burpee's Floradale Farms. The distinctive feature of these extraordinary larkspurs is their habit of growth. Strong, upright spikes are produced from the base, presenting a solid, erect, column-like appearance, the upper half being covered with large double flowers, 1½ in. across. These extremely long-stemmed larkspurs are especially desirable for all cut-flower purposes. 3½ ft.

3204 Dark Blue Velvety blue. Most attractive shade.

3193 Salmon Salmon-rose. Lovely for cutting.

3183 White Beautifully formed pure white flowers.

4093 Mixed Colors Dark blue, salmon and white.

Any of the above Burpee Wonder Larkspurs: Pkt.  $25 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4715—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of DarkBlue, Salmon and White Wonder Larkspurs, value 75¢ for only 60¢

### **Giant Larkspurs** on Parade®

**3203 Special Mixture** Beautiful spikes of different colored flowers grow 3 to 4 ft. tall and when in bloom they a wonderful sight to behold. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

### LARKSPURS

One of the most beautiful and desirable early annual flowers for the garden and cutting. Easily raised, quick growers, and very free flowering; produce a wealth of large, double blooms on long, attractive spikes. Even the deep green, finely divided foliage is pretty when plants are not yet in bloom. Sow the seed early.

Giant Steeplechase Larkspur 4122 Blue Pkt. 25¢



3201 Mrs. Clibran Improved Pkt. 25¢

### LOBELIA

Useful, easily grown plants covered with flowers throughout the season. The compact varieties are fine for beds, borders, edgings and rock gardens; Gracilis Blue may be used for flower boxes, hanging baskets and pots. Do well in partial shade.

3207 Gracilis Blue (Spreading plants) Rich ultramarine-blue flowers. 10 in. high.

Hamburgia and Sapphire (Trailing), see page 53.

### **Compact Lobelias**

3239 Blue Gown Flowers are deep blue without eye; dwarf, compact plants. 4 in.

3197 Crystal Palace Rich deep blue flowers; dark foliage. A favorite. 4 in. tall.

**3201 Mrs. Clibran Improved** Dark blue with white eye; dwarf, compact plants 4 in. high, always covered with showy flowers.

3205 Finest Mixed Many varieties and different shades in mixture. 4 to 6 in. tall.

Any of the above Lobelia:

Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.60



4346 Lupine, Hartwegi, Mixed Pkt. 20¢

### LUPINE

4346 Hartwegi, Mixed Colors Long spikes of blue, rose and white pea-shaped flowers during July and August. Prefers semi-shade. Attractive plants 2½ ft. tall. e. Attractive plants  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall. Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70%; oz. \$1.25

Perennial Lupine, page 60.

# MORNING GLORIES

Easily raised, quick-growing climbers succeeding best in soil that is not too rich and in full sun, protected from the north and west winds. Fine for covering trellises, arbors, porches and poles. Free and continuous blooming from July until frost. 8 ft. and more.

3215 Blue Star An All-America Winner. Flowers 4 to 5 in. across of an exquisite light or sky-blue shade with deeper colored mid-rib spears which form a showy star, thus adding to their beauty.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25

3213 Pearly Gates All-America Silver Medal Winner. The flowers are enormous,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. across; clear, shining white with a light creamy shading in the throat. Vines are fast growing, vigorous and covered with bloom all summer until killed by frost.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

4129 Scarlett O'Hara All-America Gold Medal Winner. Bright rosy-red with five broad veins radiating from the throat in the shape of a star; these veins are almost scarlet in color. Blooms are  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Pkt.  $25\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25 4123 Heavenly Blue Large, bright skyblue flowers, 4 to 5 in. across with white and yellow throats. A sheet of blue when in full bloom. Will produce the most and largest flowers if grown in full sun and in soil that is not too rich. Early blooming strain.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00

4116 Old Glory Mixture For a patriotic display, what could be more beautiful than this blend of Giant Morning Glories—Heavenly Blue, Pearly Gates (pure white) and Scarlett O'Hara, in one packet?

Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $65\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.20

4081 Giant Mixed Large, remarkably showy flowers in a wide range of unusual colors, combinations, contrasting borders and unique markings; hardly two alike.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢



Morning Glory 4123 Heavenly Blue Pkt. 25¢

# **SWEET-SCENTED NASTURTIUMS**

Ever popular plants of the easiest culture, blooming most profusely in ordinary, well-drained garden soil; if overly rich it will cause plants to produce more leaves than flowers. They are most useful plants for dry, sandy, or gravelly locations. Nasturtiums may be had in a great variety of shades and color combinations, single or double flowers and semi-tall or dwarf growing. Most desirable for cutting.

### Semi-Tall Giant Double

Flowers are extra large, exquisitely sweet-scented, double and semi-double with eight or more petals; plants are semi-tall and splendid for beds, broad borders or as ground covers. May be trained upon strings or wire. Valuable for cutting.

Four Semi-Tall Double Nasturtiums

Burpee's Mahogany, Burpee's Scarlet, Golden Gleam, and Orange Gleam

4741—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four varieties, value \$1.00 for 85¢

3266 Burpee's Scarlet Fiery, vivid orange-scarlet—the most brilliant of the semi-tall doubles.

3268 Burpee's Mahogany Dark shade of mahoganyred, deep and velvety. Nice alone or with light shades.

3241 Golden Gleam All-America Gold Medal Winner.

3269 Orange Gleam Deep orange with mahogany zone at base of upper petals. Most effective combination.

4172 Mixed Colors Wonderful array of many colors.

3287 Tigered Flowered Mixed Flowers are of many bizarre markings; some contrastingly blotched or mottled.

Any of the above Semi-Tall Giant Double Nasturtiums: Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; 2 ozs. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

# Single Nasturtiums

Because of their charm and old-fashioned loveliness, singlelowered nasturtiums are much in demand. We offer two mixtures, one tall or creeping, the other dwarf growing or bush. There is a place for both tall and dwarf types in every garden. Good for all garden purposes; long lasting and good for cutting.

### Dwarf or Bush

4161 Gorgeous Mixed, All Colors Complete ture containing all the lovely colors and markings to be had in single nasturtiums, and in such proportions as to give a most beautiful effect in beds, borders or rock gardens; fine for cutting. Dwarf, free-blooming plants grow about 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; 2 ozs. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.00

### Tall or Creeping

4176 Fordhook Favorites, All Colors Mixed For a colorful display of large, tall nasturtiums this mixture cannot be excelled. Splendid for trellises, verandas or wherever there is room enough for the plants to spread out in large beds or borders. May be trained upon string, wire or brush.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; 2 ozs. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.00

### **Dwarf Giant Double**

Plants are of compact, bush or globular form, about 1 ft. 1½ ft. across. Giant double and semi-double sweet-scented flowers are produced freely on long stems, which makes them especially fine for cutting. Attractive in beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens and pots.

3264 Golden Globe All-America Silver Medal Winner, Exquisite.

4177 Cherry Rose A most exquisite shade of soft cherry-rose.

3261 Garnet Gem Rich, very bright garnet-red suffused orange.

3265 Mahogany Gem Velvety, deep but brilliant mahogany.

3273 Orange Glory Large, bright orange flowers; crinkled petals. 3252 Primrose Gem Soft primrose colored flowers on long stems.

3262 Scarlet Globe Showy, fiery scarlet blooms in profusion.

4173 Mixed Colors Colorful mixture of double and semi-double flowers in many beautiful shades and combinations; some variegated.

Any of the above Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums: Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; 2 ozs. \$1.25; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

Five Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtiums Cherry Rose, Golden Globe, Mahogany Gem, Orange Glory and Primrose Gem

4743—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five best named varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only



3264 Dwarf Giant Double Nasturtium, Golden Globe Pkt. 25¢



3234 Mignonette, Red Monarch Pkt. 25¢

### MIGNONETTE—Sweet Scented

Grown for its charming fragrance. Excellent for cutting, especially when used with other flowers. Blooms freely all summer, the plants growing to a height of 15 in.

3234 Red Monarch Enormous trusses of

3234 **Ked Monarch** Enormous trusses of the deepest red imaginable in mignonettes. Compact grower and very free blooming. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

4157 **Fordhook Finest Mixed** Large-flowered varieties of many fine shades. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.25



3258 Nemesia, Large Hybrids Pkt. 25¢

### NEMESIA

3258 Large Flowering Hybrids Dwarf, free-blooming, showy plants for edgings, borders and rock gardens. White, yellow, orange, pink, crimson, rose, blue, etc., in mixture. Does best in cool weather. 1 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



3251 Nemophila, Insignis Blue Pkt. 25¢

### **NEMOPHILA** — Baby Blue Eyes

3251 Insignis Blue Quick grower and an early bloomer. Bears a profusion of lovely, cup-shaped, sky-blue flowers with white centers. Charming for the rock garden and edgings and succeeds in semi-shade. The little plants grow 8 in. high. Beautiful.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.40

### MOONFLOWER—Night Blooming

Quick growing climbers, 15 ft. and more high. The foliage provides splendid shade. 3214 Giant Pink Lavender-pink flowers

5 in. across; blooms only at night and closes the next morning unless day is cloudy.

4128 Giant White Purest white flowers, often 6 in. across. Blooms at night and usually stays open the next day until noon. Free blooming vines from July until frost.

Either of the above: Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.35



### NICOTIANA — Sweet Scented

Long, tube-shaped, petunia-like flowers, the petals of which form a beautiful five-pointed star. Very fragrant, particularly when flowers are fully expanded during the evening and after showers.

**4171 Sensation Mixed** Flowers remain open longer during the day than Affinis or Crimson Bedder. Colors from white through mauve to chartreuse, wine, deep red and chocolate. Very fragrant. 2 ft.

4179 Daylight Unlike the above, the pure white flowers remain open throughout the day even in bright sunshine. 1½ ft. tall.

4178 Affinis Pure white tuberose-scented blooms; branching plants, 21/2 ft. high.

3274 Crimson Bedder Deep crimson, sweet-scented blooms; dwarf plants. 15 in. Any of the above Nicotiana:

Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.40



3254 Nierembergia, Purple Robe Pkt. 35¢

### NIEREMBERGIA — Blue Cup Flower

Plants form a dense mat, 6 in. high, 1 ft. and more across, and are thickly covered through the summer and fall with beautiful cup-shaped flowers, 1 to 1¼ in. across. Wonderful for edgings and rock gardens.

3247 Hippomanica True lavender-blue. 3254 Purple Robe All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Deep but rich violet-blue. Either variety of Nierembergia:

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 60¢; 1/128 oz. \$1.00

### **NIGHT-SCENTED STOCKS**

Matthiola bicornis

3231 Small purplish lilac flowers which emit a delightful perfume in the morning and evening or after a shower. In bloom from July to September. Grow 15 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 90¢



3256 Nigella, Miss Jekyll Pkt. 25¢

### NIGELLA — Love-in-a-Mist

Pretty old-fashioned double flowers, nestled among the fine, feathery foliage. Good for cutting; mixes well with others. 1½ ft. tall.

3256 Miss Jekyll Rich cornflower-blue. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25

3257 Damascena Double Mixed White and various shades of blue well blended. Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 90¢



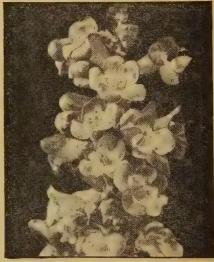
3279 Ornithogalum thyrsoides Pkt. 35¢

### ORNITHOGALUM

Cape Chincherichee

3279 Thyrsoides Dense spikes of 30 to 40 white, star-like flowers, 1 in. across, are clustered in a somewhat triangularly shaped head on stems 1½ to 2 ft. tall. If seeds are started early, some blooms may be had the same year. Store bulbs free from frost for the following year. Nice for cutting.

Pkt. 35¢; ¾16 oz. \$1.25; ⅓8 oz. \$2.25



3387 Penstemon, Floradale Pkt. 40¢

### PENSTEMON — Bearded Tongue

3387 Giant Floradale Long flower-spikes 3387 Glant Floradale Long hower-spikes closely set with gloxinia-like blooms in many brilliant and varied colors; some are prettily edged. Excellent for beds and borders. Will add variety to arrangements. 2 to 3 ft. tall. Perennial in warm sections.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.50



4044 Royal Carpet Sweet Alyssum

Easily grown, free flowering plants; universally popular for beds, borders, edgings, rock gardens, pots and window boxes. Plants are low and spreading, 2 or 3 in. high, 10 or more in. across, fully covered with large flower heads.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85



### 4393 Sunburst Dahlias

Easily grown from seed. Flowers semi-double, 3 in. across, come in a wide range of beautiful colors, including those shown and others. 1½ to 2 ft. Lovely for cutting; nice for low borders. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½16 oz. \$1.75

SPECIAL 4856—One pkt. each of all 6 flowers every one an outstanding

introduction, value \$1.85 for only

**RECENT NEW FLOWERS** 

All are very easy to grow annuals



### 4418 Twinkle Phlox

Unusual, showy type in an endless variety of colors and combinations. The medium-sized, brilliantly colored flowers have fantastically fringed and pointed petals, making a pleasing effect. 6 in. tall. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.85

### 4355 Tetra Blue Ageratum

Extremely vigorous, free blooming plants, 6 to 8 in. tall with large blue flowers. Pkt. 35¢; ½16 oz. \$1.10

6 OF THE BEST

### Nearest-to-White Marigolds

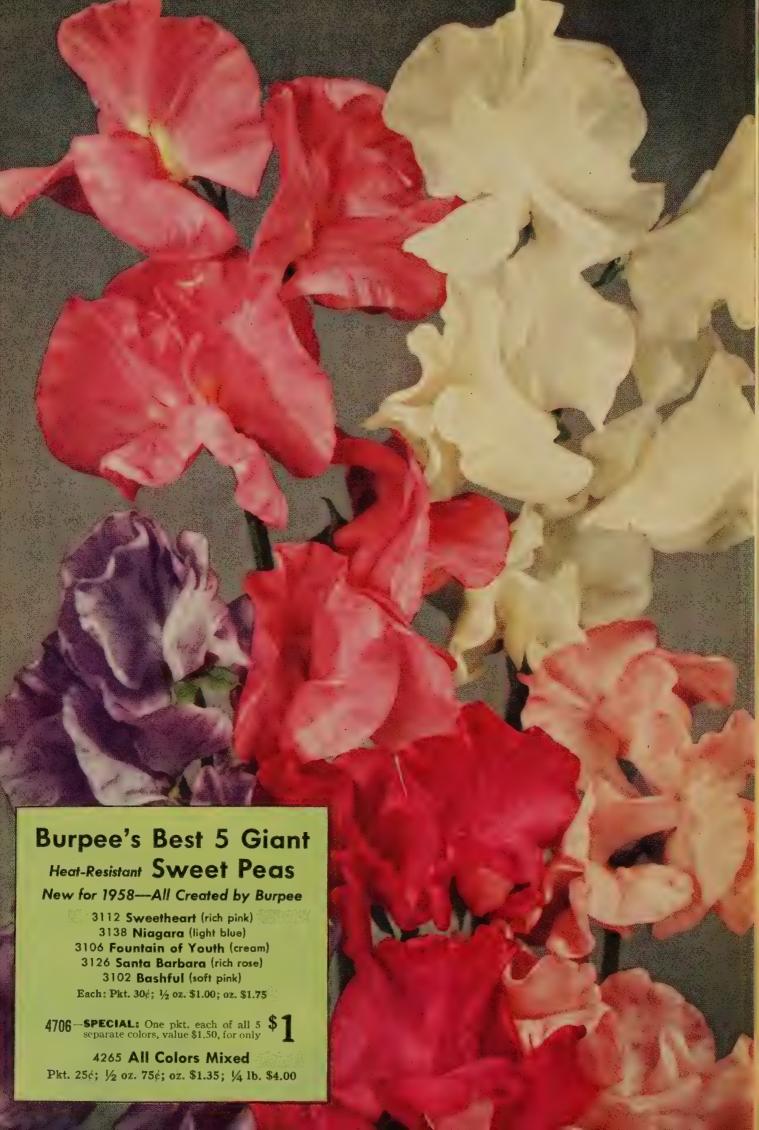
A mixture of all types of the palest colors that are most likely to produce a pure white African Marigold in your garden.

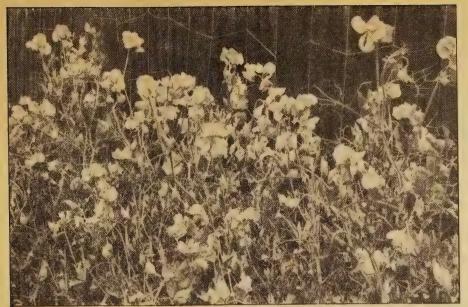
Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

### 4397 Gloriosa Daisies

Sensational giant single flowers up to 7 in. across in bright yellow, rich mahogany and bicolors of orange and gold, mahogany and gold as well as mahogany and bronze. 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½32 oz. \$1.00; ½16 oz. \$1.85





Burpee's Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas in bloom at Fordhook in late July

### Best 5 New Burpee Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas

3102 Bashful Soft, clear blush pink shading to a creamy pink near the center.

3106 Fountain of Youth Rich cream tone that becomes deeper at the base; fragrant.

3138 Niagara Clear, cool, refreshing shade of light blue; delightfully sweet scented.

3126 Santa Barbara Bright, rich deep rose; jewel-like and radiant; exquisite.

3112 Sweetheart An alluring shade of rich cerise-pink on a cream background.

Any of the above New Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas: Pkt. 30¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75

4265 Giant Heat-Resistant, All Colors Mixed Nice blend of all colors listed. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$4.00

# **BURPEE'S GIANT SWEET PEAS**

### 2 New Prize Winners for 1958

4318 Jolly Silver Medal Winner, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society. Large, bright salmon-cerise flowers in fours on long, strong stems.

**3579 Lassie** First Class Certificate, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society. Artistically waved salmon-rose flowers with an undertone of orange and fawn which creates a rich, warm, luminous salmon-fawn effect. Lively.

Either of the above: Pkt. 35¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

3402 Ambition Beautiful lavender-lilac flowers, darker at base.

3412 Amethyst Bright clear amethyst-blue. Long stems.

3376 Burpee's Best White The best white-seeded white.

3416 Burpee's Serenade Winner of First Class Certificate, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society. Fawn tinted delft rose.

3418 Cheers Winner of Award of Merit, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Soft pink to very light, creamy pink.

3395 Clare Boothe Luce Winner of Award of Merit, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Deep salmon-pink.

3371 Fireflame A most attractive shade of scarlet-cerise.

3396 Floradale Purple Lovely, true clear dark purple flowers.

3324 Fragrance Exceedingly fragrant, deep cream; ruffled.

3379 Freedom Large, deep navy blue flowers of perfect form.

3398 Grand Slam Bright scarlet-cerise shaded orange.

3414 Gen. Douglas MacArthur Rich, dark crimson.

3477 King Lavender A fine, clear light lavender sweet pea.

4374 Lady Gay Prize Winner, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Large, well-waved flowers of the very deepest cerise.

3406 Maid of Honor Prize Winner, National Sweet Pea Society of Great Britain. Clear rose-pink on white.

3357 Pinkie Clear deep rose-pink flowers on very long stems.

3575 Roselight Prize Winner, Scottish National Sweet Pea Society. Lightly ruffled flowers of rose-pink.

3356 The Sultan Velvety black-maroon. Long stemmed; large.

**4276 The Burpee Blend Mixture** Carefully composed blend or mixture of the very finest sweet peas, including best colors.

4291 Burpee Novelty Mixture All the finest new named giant sweet peas of recent introduction in wide range of colors.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Sweet Peas (except Jolly and Lassie); Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$4.00

# **BURPEE'S GIANT**

Heat-Resistant

### SWEET PEAS

Burpee's Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas come into bloom shortly after the Spring Flowering group with much larger flowers, lasting over a longer period

flowers lasting over a longer period. Plants are vigorous and on our Fordhook Farms continued to be free blooming and profuse after the other types planted at the same time had ceased.

4282 Blue Sky Light silvery blue.

4287 Blue Velvet Deep blue blooms.

4292 Flash Bright orange-scarlet; lively.

4297 Happy Clear rose-pink on white.

4296 Lucky Salmon-rose on white.

4286 Ruffles Cream changing to white.

Any of the above 6 Heat-Resistant varieties:

Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00

### Best 5 New Burpee Giant Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas

4706—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all 5 varieties described in opposite column, value \$1.50 for only



# Six Most Fragrant Giant Sweet Peas

Ambition (lavender-lilac), Cheers (pink on cream), Flash (orange-scarlet), Fragrance (deep cream), Happy (rose-pink) and Light Blue (clear azure-blue)

4732—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six varieties, value \$1.50 for only

# SPRING FLOWERING SWEET PEAS

# **Cuthbertson Type—Heat-Resistant**

Come into bloom, outdoors, before the Giants but do not remain in bloom nearly so long. Plants are quite vigorous and produce many large long-stemmed blooms. Heat-resistant and therefore especially adapted to localities where larger flowered, longer stemmed sweet peas have heretofore been more or less unsuccessful. Under glass they are free flowering and prolong the spring cutting season.

3397 Light Blue (Hazel) Pleasing clear shade of azure-blue. Abundant.

4377 Concerto Rosy crimson, changing to rich crimson. Blooms slightly waved.

4378 Duet Clear, lovely salmon cream-pink flowers nicely placed in 3's and 4's.

3399 Blush Pink (Helen) Light rose-pink on white that is most appealing.

4381 Rhapsody A clear mid-blue sweet pea of great charm. Large blooms.

3328 Scarlet Cerise (Coline) A color of great appeal. Large flowers; splendid.

4382 Sonata Deep cream, well ruffled flowers in 3's and 4's on long stems.

4383 Symphony Warm, brilliant salmon-orange shade; most appealing.

4379 Tone Poem Large slightly ruffled, light salmon cream-pink blooms. 3432 White (Janet) Remarkable pure color. Black-seeded. Great favorite.

4275 All Colors Mixed All above colors listed and others in a fine mixture.

Any of the above Spring Flowering Heat-Resistant Sweet Peas: Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00

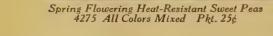


4843—SPECIAL One pkt. each of these 6 separate named Heat-Resistant varieties, 6 pkts. in all, value \$1.50 for only

# EARLY MULTIFLORA SWEET PEAS

4281 **Mixed Colors** More flowers to a stem. Flowers are of medium size, stems are long and strong. The number of blooms to a stem seems to vary with the color—five, six and more under favorable conditions. Many of the flowers are strikingly waved. In color they range from pure white through shades of pink and rose, orange-cerise, lavender, etc.

Pkt.  $35 \not \in$ ; 1/2 oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.75; 1/4 lb. \$4.50



### BURPEE'S FLORADALE SEED FARMS IN CALIFORNIA



David Burpee, President of W. Atlee Burpee Co., inspects a field of Gloriosa Daisies.



Threshing Goldinhart carrot after which the seed will be cleaned and tested.

Hand pollinating petunias which have been caged against insect pollination.



Brilliant with dazzling colors are the acres of zinnias growing for seed, stretching almost as far as the eye can see at Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms.



# **BURPEE'S GIANT RUFFLED SWEET PEAS**

by the unusual duplexness and extra frilliness of the flowers. This gives a double appearance to the large, waved and ruffled flowers which makes them distinct and most attractive. Sweet Peas do best in cool weather. If seed was not sown in the fall, sow as early in the spring as the ground can be prepared. All types of sweet peas prefer an open, sunny location, and deep, rich, well drained soil.

4277 Ruffled Blue True blue with no purple undertones.

3337 Bonnie Ruffles Salmon-pink on rich cream ground.

3324 Fragrance Deep cream; greenish tinge at base of petals.

3365 Ruffled Crimson Rich satiny crimson; deeper at edges.

3381 Ruffled Rose Pure shade of soft warm rose. Exquisite.

4285 Ruffled White Outstanding white-seeded ruffled white.

4293 All Colors Mixed Above named varieties plus others.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ 1b. \$4.00

# **BURPEE'S EARLY FLOWERING SWEET PEAS**

Burpee's Early Flowering Sweet Peas come into bloom outdoors before the summer heat arrives—usually 3 to 4 weeks earlier than the Burpee Giant varieties. Valuable for winter flowering under glass; also especially adapted for growing in frost-free sections.

3469 Burpee's Giant Pink Lovely shade of rose-pink.

3439 Burpee's Lavender Exquisite light wisteria-lavender.

4288 Burpee's White Giant White-seeded pure white.

3421 Crimson Banner Rosy crimson flowers in 3's and 4's.

3378 Helen Hayes Appealing shade of soft salmon-pink.

3573 Nancynell Gorgeous salmon-pink on cream. Long stems.

3408 WAVES Mid-blue, exceedingly fragrant, large blooms.

4241 Finest Mixture A well-balanced and complete mixture.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$4.00

4721-SPECIAL: One pkt, each of the 7 named Early Flowering Sweet Peas, value \$1.75 for only \$1.50



4728—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the six named Giant Ruffled Sweet Peas, value \$1.50 for only

\$1

# BURPEE'S FORDHOOK TRIAL FARMS IN PENNSYLVANIA



Recording data on pole beans. Data is taken at each stage of growth so all the facts concerning the performance variety of vegetable is available to Burpee plant scientists.

Tractor cultivation of beans. All varieties of vegeta-bles and flowers are grown and evaluated each year at Fordhook as a guide to selecting only the best kinds.

Taking notes on Zinnias in a small block of the Zinnia trials at Fordhook.

**Burpee Seeds Grow** 

# Burpee's Tetra Snaps

# Giant Ruffled Tetraploid Snapdragons

### ALL ORIGINATED ON BURPEE'S FLORADALE FARMS

Tetra snaps are a Burpee scientific creation, originated through the treatment of the best regular or diploid varieties with colchicine—a drug or chemical derived from the bulbs of fall crocus. Genetically, they are known as tetraploids, for, when examined under the microscope, they have twice the number of chromosomes in their cells as the regular or diploid snapdragons.

Burpee's Giant Tetra Snapdragons are extremely large and attractively ruffled. Plants are exceptionally strong and husky, with glossy, dark green foliage, thick and almost leathery in texture; the stems are quite heavy. Under general field conditions the central spikes grow 2 ft. and more in height; these are surrounded by lateral spikes of lesser height. Base branching plants. Tetra Snaps are wonderful for cutting.

**3495 Tetra Candlelight** Clear, bright yellow, nicely formed, well placed flowers are freely borne on strong, erect spikes. Extremely rich and beautiful.

**4267 Tetra Crimson** Very large, deep but bright, velvety crimson flowers closely set on long, broad, tapering spikes above dark green, thick foliage.

**4269 Tetra Pink Shades** Exquisite variations from shell-pink to deep rose. The tapering spikes are filled with large, nicely formed, well placed flowers.

3499 Tetra Shades of Rose Especially selected for those who prefer the clearer, deeper shades of rose for their garden. A most appealing blend.

4258 Tetra White Creamy white changing to pure white with age; primrose throat which adds to the beauty of the large, attractively formed flowers.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Tetra Snapdragons: Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½32 oz. \$1.75

4253 **Tetra Snaps Mixed** Every color known in this glorious flower, plus some new ones, and others of harmonious tone blendings; a most sensational snapdragon mixture which has been acclaimed by home gardeners and florists alike as unexcelled for garden decoration and cut-flower purposes.

Pkt. 25¢; 2 pkts. 45¢; 16 oz. \$1.00; 18 oz. \$1.75

# **Burpee's Super-Skyscraper Snapdragons**

4439 Magic Wand New THIS YEAR Beautifully tapered spikes, bearing large, clear, light yellow flowers, in slightly open arrangement, for nearly half the height of the stem. The color is a pastel, yet distinct, clear shade of yellow which gives a cool touch to garden borders and arrangements. Grow 3½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ½2 oz. \$2.00; ½6 oz. \$3.75

# **Burpee's Skyscraper Snapdragons**

4283 **Mixed Colors** Tall upright plants covered with blooms of the most pleasing shades in the lighter tones—sulfur-yellow, canary yellow, sulfur-yellow flushed pink, apple-blossom-pink, mid-rose, rose flushed golden, creamy white flushed pink with an occasional rosy orange, rosy bronze or lavender. Base branching plants with from 3 to 7 stems 3 ft. tall coming from near the ground.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.75

# **Burpee's Snapdragons of Special Merit**

4373 Floradale Rose Long, tapering spikes covered with bright rose-pink flowers with a pleasing soft yellow blotch on the palate. Individual flowers are numerous, and make up into a towering spike of beauty, 2 ft. and more tall.

3484 Burpee's Velvet Giant All-America Bronze Medal Winner. An outstanding snapdragon,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, with 6 to 12 towering spikes of very large velvety, deep crimson flowers with an interesting undertone of orange-bronze.

**4255 Happiness** Companion to Snow White and like it for base branching habit. Spikes are 2 ft. long, tapering, 5 to 7 per plant and all bloom at about the same time. The light yellow flowers are highly desirable for cutting and garden.

**4262 Snow White** Long, tapering spikes of exquisite pure white flowers that are most showy in the garden and excellent for cutting. The base-branching spikes are covered with flowers for about one-half their length. 2 ft. tall.

Any of the above Burpee Snapdragons of Special Merit: Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

# **Snapdragon Mixtures**

4257 Majestic Mixed Compact, bushy plants, 18 to 24 in. high, bear massive, hyacinth-like spikes closely set with large flowers. Many colors.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

4273 Tall Giant, Rust-Resistant Mixed Spikes 2 to 3 ft. tall outdoors, the upper 10 to 12 in. of which are thickly studded with gorgeous blooms of exquisite form. Base branching plants are prized for borders and cutting. Pkt.  $15 \, \mbox{$\wp$}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $50 \, \mbox{$\wp$}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $50 \, \mbox{$\wp$}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $50 \, \mbox{$\wp$}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz.  $\frac{1}{16}$ 

3464 **Snapdragons-on-Parade**® Special mixture of the best colors of tall giant snaps for display and cutting. Includes Tetras and Skyscraper.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25



4253 Burpee's Giant Tetra Snapdragon All Colors Mixed Pki. 25¢

# **Five Burpee Tetra Snaps**

Tetra Candlelight, Tetra Crimson,
Tetra Pink Shades, Tetra Shades of Rose
and Tetra White

4764 —SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate varieties, value \$1.75 for only

# **Burpee's Tip Top Snapdragons**

### Maximum Giant Rust-Resistant

Main stem averages 4 ft. in height and the many lateral stems, coming from the base of the plant, are nearly as tall so that a plant in full bloom is a sight to behold. Tip Top Snapdragons are of uniform habit and resistant to rust.

Each spike is beautifully tapered with many large, gracefully placed individual flowers open at one time. Plantings in the home garden are especially showy and for cut flowers they cannot be praised too highly.

4401 Tip Top Appleblossom An appealing shade of soft delicate pink.

4402 Tip Top Crimson Bright, clear crimson that is always admired.

4407 Tip Top Orange-Rose Resembles colors found in some fall foliage.

**4411 Tip Top White** Pure white glistening flowers. Mixes well with others.

4409 Tip Top Yellow Beautiful clear mid-yellow blossoms airily placed.

4396 Tip Top Mixed All the above colors in a glorious, well balanced blend.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.90

### **Five Superb TIP TOP Snapdragons**

4854—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above five separate colors of Tip Top Snapdragons, value \$1.25 for only

# Early Flowering Semi-Tall Snapdragons

Plants attain a height of 18 in. and more in the garden, except Rosalie which grows 2½ ft. tall. Long, dense spikes of exquisite blooms almost as large as those of the taller giant types. Excellent for cutting and garden decoration.

3346 Bertha Baur Light mauvy lavender that is shaded a much deeper lavender with mauve-purple tube. It is an unusual color, like some of the lovely Cattleya orchids.

**3519 Rosalie** All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Produces 6 to 8 base branching spikes filled with large, deep rose flowers enlivened with an underlying tone of amber. Foliage is immune to rust-disease. The graceful spikes are borne on plants that grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

**3492 Velvet Beauty** Deep but vivid crimson-red enriched with a velvety sheen. Heavy, sturdy spikes of large, nicely formed flowers make it a favorite for cutting.

3438 White Rock Large, pure white. An extra choice early blooming snapdragon that is nice alone or a good mixer with other snapdragons or annual flowers.

3491 Yellow Perfection Exceptionally bright, clear golden yellow. Very rich color.

Any of the above: Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

4248 Finest Mixed, Rust-Resistant Flowers are large, well formed and nearly all are open at one time. Spikes in full bloom are magnificent. Individual flowers are so nicely arranged that there are no unsightly gaps between them. Foliage is resistant to rust.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25

4259 All Colors Mixed Glorious mixture of the best early, semi-tall large flowered varieties in a wide assortment of colors including all the above plus some others.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25

# Burpee's Extra Early Hybrid Snapdragons

4254 **Mixed Colors** Come into bloom while others are only in bud—especially important in sections with short summers. Colors from dark red, cherry-crimson, rose-pink to light pink, lavender, golden yellow to primrose, white and many other shades and color combinations. Spikes are well formed; flowers are large and nicely placed. Under good growing conditions, plants grow 2 ft. and more tall. Ideally suited for beds, borders and cutting. Vigorous plant habit.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

# **Burpee's Double Snapdragons**

Flowers are of an amazing formation, quite large, 1¾ in. across and 1½ in. deep when well grown. The upper lip broadens and recurves gracefully. From the rounded portion of the lower lip there is a protruding flare which is slightly frilled. Between the lips, extending out from the throat, are several small, wavy accessory petals which add grace and refinement to a handsome flower. Double Snapdragons are lovely for garden and cutting.

3475 Floradale Double Soft Dresden yellow. On unopened buds there is a rosy blush which disappears as soon as they open. Large flowers; many in bloom at once.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pkt.  $40\varepsilon$ ; 2 pkts.  $75\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{32}$  oz. \$2.00;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$3.75

3513 **Lemonade** The immense flowers are of a clear primrose-yellow and nicely placed on long, strong stems. The central spike grows 3 ft. tall and blooms ahead of the laterals. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½2 oz. \$2.50; ½6 oz. \$4.50

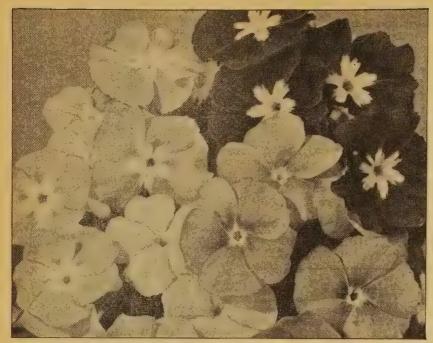
4263 **Double, All Colors Mixed** Color range is excellent. There are clear whites, creamy white, various yellows, rose-orange to scarlet-orange, lovely pinks, lavender, crimson, and bronze shades. Grand colors for cutting. The plants average 2½ ft. in height. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½2 oz. \$2.00; ½6 oz. \$3.75



# SNAPDRAGONS

These exquisite flowers have always been universal favorites for color in the garden, in the greenhouse during the winter, and as cut flowers. Of easiest culture, succeeding best in rich or moderately rich soil—in full sun or semi-shade. The gorgeous flowers are freely produced for several months, and until frost where conditions are favorable. Sow seed outdoors when soil has become quite warm; for earlier blooms sow the seed indoors six weeks before your regular outdoor planting time, and transplant the seed-lings when the soil has become warm.

### ANNUAL PHLOX—Texan Pride



4404 Burpee's Giant Tetra Phlox, Mixed Colors Pkt. 50¢

# Tall Large Phlox

Phlox drummondi grandiflora

Well-branched plants, 15 in. tall, with large clusters of many beautiful flowers which grow about 1 in. across. Bright and soft self-colors and attractive color com-binations make them an excellent choice for garden decoration and cutting

3307 Apricot Bright, soft chamois-rose nicely set off by a large white eye.

**3327 Fordhook Crimson** Gorgeous shade of crimson, especially beautiful if planted in masses. Makes a striking show.

3318 Violet Uniform clear soft violet shade that is quite rare in annual phlox.

3305 White Purest, glistening white, large, well-rounded florets in big trusses.

Any of the above Tall Large Phlox: Pkt. 25 ¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75

4193 Fordhook Finest Mixed Colors Blend of all best colors for a gorgeous display. Especially effective in masses. Pkt.  $15 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{8} \, \text{oz.} \, 75 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4} \, \text{oz.} \, \$1.40$ 

### Four Showy Tall Large Phlox

4763—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 4 separate colors, value \$1.00 for only 85¢

### ANNUAL PHLOX

One of the easiest grown and most satisfactory of all annuals. No other flower can surpass their brilliant colorings. Grows and thrives in any kind of soil in a sunny position, but prefers a light, rich loam. Begins to bloom in early summer and continues until fall if faded flowers are removed. Fine for bedding, borders, edgings and cutting. Take your choice of the outstanding tall giant tetras, the tall giants, the tall or dwarf large flowered types or the tall or dwarf exotic starred and fringed phlox. There is wide variety and all of them are lovely.

# **Dwarf Large Phlox**

Phlox drummondi nana compacta

Symmetrical, dwarf, compact plants growing about 6 in. tall. They are exceedingly pretty in beds, borders or rock gardens, and also fine for pots and window-boxes or as edgings to taller growing

3297 Cinnabar Red Vivid scarlet-vermilion; very effective and pleasing.

3331 Fireball Fiery crimson-scarlet: rich and colorful, of unusual brilliance.

3298 Isabellina Beautiful soft primrose-yellow; quite refined and exquisite.

3291 Pink Bright chamois-pink. Very pretty and desirable shade for all uses.

3301 Snowball Enormous heads of pure white flowers. Extremely popular.

4192 Dwarf Compact, Mixed Wellbalanced blend of all colors in this type for beds, borders or low edgings.

Any of the above Dwarf Compact Phlox: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.75

### Five Colorful Dwarf Phlox

4746-SPECIAL: One pkt.each of the above 5 separate colors, for low borders, value \$1.25 for only \$1

# Starred and Fringed Phlox

Most unusual, showy type. The medium-sized, brilliantly colored flowers have fantastically fringed and pointed petals or are artistically starred, making a very pleasing effect. An endless variety of colors and color combinations will be found in this unique class of phlox.

4198 Tall Mixed Plants grow about 1 ft. tall; very free blooming and are ideally suited for borders, edging taller growing phlox or other plants. They are most attractive when used as cut flowers.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75

4418 Twinkle, Dwarf Star Mixed All-America Bronze Medal Winner. All the best colors and color combinations are to be had in this attractive dwarf mixture. The little plants grow only 6 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

# Burpee's Giant Tetra Phlox

Burpee's giant tetraploids (tetra for short) were originated by treating the best diploid varieties with colchicine, a drug derived from fall crocus. As a result, the flowers are larger, stems are stronger and the plants have a lusher appearance.

3022 Sparkles New THIS YEAR A welcome addition to our Giant Tetra group of annual phlox. Individual blooms are a delightful shade of deep salmon-cerise, up to 134 in. across and make up into attractive clusters on strong stems 12 to 14 in. long. Lovely for beds and borders and highly desirable for cutting.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.00

4185 Tetra Red Plants are vigorous, 20 in. tall. Flowers grow 1½ in. across, faintly scented, deep red with white eye. Pkt. 40¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.75

3293 Tetra Salmon Flowers are immense, up to 134 in. across; soft salmon-pink in pleasing contrast to a creamy white eye. Plants grow 10 to 12 in. tall. Pkt. 50¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.00

### 4404 Giant Tetra Mixed Colors

Very select range of colors; particularly rich in light and deep salmons, bright rose-cerise, rose, lavender-rose, purple and white. Many of the blooms are self colors, others with small or large contrasting white "eyes." Individual flowers are large and make up into big, showy clusters. The plants are 1 ft. and more tall.

Pkt. 50¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.25; ¼8 oz. \$2.00

### Tall Giant Phlox

Phlox drummondi gigantea

4207 Art Shades A wonderful range of soft pastel colors and delicate shades in mixture—salmon with white eye; deep salmon with cream eye; apple-blossom pink; soft rose with white eye; light blue with white eye; pale violet with white eye and other artistic combinations.

Individual flowers are larger than the grandiflora type and borne most freely in massive trusses on strong, upright plants 10 in. tall. Excellent for beds, borders, edgings and cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75



Tall Large Flowered Phlox 4193 Fordhook Finest Mixed Colors Pkt. 15¢

# PORTULACA—Rose Moss or Sun Plant

For a brilliant display in low borders, edgings, beds, rock gardens or ground cover, nothing can excel portulaca. Blooms early and continuously until frost; must have a sunny location, but will grow in almost any soil if well drained. Forms a dense, thick carpet; 4 to 6 in, tall. Seed is very fine so should be barely covered when sown. Nice to use between stepping stones. May be used in window boxes if they are in a sunny location. Flowers will open only in full sunlight.

#### **Double Portulaca**

Flowers are like little roses. Seed saved from perfectly double flowers will produce some singles. As these usually bloom first, they can be removed if desired and a double flowering plant put in its place later. They are very easy to transplant. Grown by some in pots or boxes.

3308 Pink Bright and lively color that appeals to everyone.

3285 Red Large scarlet-red blooms for a very striking effect.

3284 Salmon Exquisite shade; most attractive, unusually soft tone.

3282 White Yellow stamens add to the beauty of the blooms.

3295 Yellow Soft orange-yellow of a rich and distinct shade.

Any of above separate colors: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

#### Five Double Portulacas

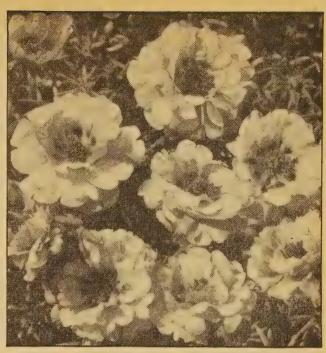
Pink, Red, Salmon, White, Yellow

4791 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five separate colors, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

#### 4194 Single Portulaca, Mixed Colors

Orange, red, white, buff and other shades of unusual beauty for a glorious floral carpet display in a sunny location. Very colorful and effective, especially when planted in masses. Flowers are quite large and completely cover the little plants which grow 4 to 6 in. tall.

Pkt. 15¢; 1/16 oz. 45¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

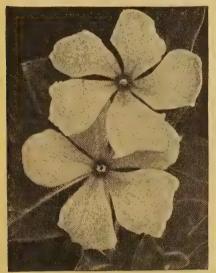


4436 Magic Carpet Double Portulaca, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢ Magic Carpet® Portulaca

4436 Best Double Mixed

Lively blend of pink, red, salmon, white and yellow, some of which are striped with contrasting colors. A planting of this mixture in masses will give a display that is unsurpassed in brilliance. Can withstand the hottest weather and drought.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25



3281 Periwinkle, Twinkles Pkt. 25¢

#### PERIWINKLE—Vinca rosea

Erect, bushy plants with glossy, laurel-like leaves and large, single blooms, 1½ in. across. In bloom all summer and fall. Never troubled by insects or disease. Stands heat. 1½ ft. tall. Perennial in mild climates.

3278 Bright Eyes White with rose eye. Charming in rock gardens and borders.

3288 Purity The flowers are pure white. Splendid alone or with other varieties.

3281 Twinkles Large flowers of blush pink with a bright red eye, surrounded by a wide zone of glowing rose. Very showy.

3286 Willie Winkle Bright rose color. Particularly pleasing and refined.

Any of the above Periwinkle: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4187 Mixed Colors All the above colors. Pkt.  $20 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25

3576 Little Pinkie Lovely, rich, bright rose flowers on dwarf plants only 10 in. high. Nice in low beds or borders.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25



4186 Poppy, Double Shirley Mixed Pkt. 20¢

# POPPIES, SHIRLEY

Poppies are charming subjects in the garden because of their brilliantly colored flowers and the freedom with which they are produced. They are easy to grow in any good soil exposed to the sun.

4181 American Legion Dazzling orangescarlet single flowers of enormous size and great beauty. An improvement on the old Flanders poppy. Rich and colorful. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.20

4189 Single All Colors Mixed Large 4189 Single All Colors Mixed Large single flowers with papery, silk-like petals in dainty tones of pink, salmon, apricot, terra cotta, etc.; many shaded and edged with other colors. Golden anthers and white centers enhance their beauty. 1½ ft.

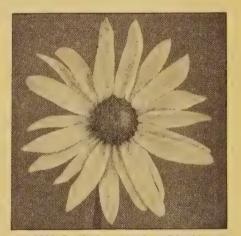
Pkt. 15¢; ¼ oz. 45¢; ½ oz. 80¢

4186 Double All Colors Mixed Double and semi-double blooms in an almost endless variety of attractive colors. Many are delicately suffused with a second tint, which adds so much to their appearance. 1½ ft.

Pkt. 20¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

Perennial Poppies, page 61.

PRIMULA—Primrose, page 53



3382 Rudbeckia, My Joy Pkt. 20¢

#### RUDBECKIA — Black-Eyed Susan

Easily grown in almost any soil and situation—sun or half-shade. Excellent for garden display and fine for cutting. Plants bloom continuously during summer and fall.

3382 My Joy Flowers are well formed, daisy-like, 3 in. and more across, with showy orange-yellow petals and a rather small dark center cone. Grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 70¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

3314 Starlight An All-America Winner. Double, semi-double and single, showy flowers in varying tones of light yellow and velvety mahogany with two colors prettily displayed in many of the blooms. 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

4397 Gloriosa Daisies, Mixed Colors Giant hybrid tetraploid rudbeckias with immense single flowers, many up to 7 in. across. Colors include yellow, golden, some blotched mahogany, others with broad mahogany-red central zones—all are outstandingly beautiful. Stand drought and cold, even light freezing. Grow 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.00; 1/16 oz. \$1.85

Perennial Rudbeckia, page 60.

#### SCARLET SAGE or SALVIA

Scarlet Sage is one of the most brilliant bedding plants, blooms from early summer until frost. Popular for beds, borders, edgings and pot culture; may be used for cutting. There are tall and dwarf varieties for different purposes. All are best treated as annuals but seed must be started early indoors in boxes of light, rich soil so as to have plants large enough to set in the ground outdoors when weather and soil have become thoroughly warm. Blue salvias are distinct from the scarlet being less showy but fine for planting in borders and to mix with other cut flowers.

4244 America or Globe of Fire Round, bushy plants, of uniform growth,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, covered with large, well-filled, upright spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers. Comes into bloom quite early in the season and continues to flower profusely until killed by frost. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.25

BLUE SALVIA

as annuals. 3433 Farinacea



Scarlet Sage (Salvia) 4244 America (Globe of Fire) Pkt. 25¢

3473 Blaze of Fire Most attractive, brilliant scarlet flower spikes cover the dwarf, compact plants from early in the season until frost. The showy little plants are ideal for low plantings in beds or borders. 15 in. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.50; ¼ oz. \$2.75

**4246 Bonfire or Clara Bedman** Dense, dark green foliaged plants of erect, globular growth producing their bright scarlet-red flowers in great profusion. Very striking, especially in masses. Grow about 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

**4251 Spiendens** The tallest growing and largest flowered. Loose sprays of rich scarlet blooms; plants grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3ft, tall. We offer an improved stock. Because of its height, it is mostly used in large beds or in backgrounds. Excellent where long-stemmed spikes of salvia are wanted for cutting. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

4249 St. John's Fire The earliest and dwarfest growing scarlet sage that we list. Flowers are bright scarlet-red and produced profusely on bushy plants which grow about 10 in. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.50; ½ oz. \$2.75

3474 Zurich Scarlet-red blooms of good size completely cover the bushy, dwarf, compact plants. Grows 1 ft. tall. Early. Nice to edge taller plants or other varieties of scarlet sage. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

Plants are very free flowering and most at-

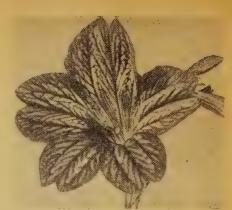
Plants are very free flowering and most attractive in borders and small beds. Blooms all summer and fall. Nice to use with other flowers in bouquets. Most easily grown. 2½ ft. tall. Where winters are not too severe, the farinacea type may be treated as perennials; in mild climates, patens is a half-hardy perennial. Both are easily grown as annuals

**3433 Farinacea** Tall spikes of light, cloudy blue flowers. A good mixer. Begins to bloom in about two months from seed. 3463 Farinacea Blue Bedder Rich, deep Wedgwood-blue flowers in many-whorled racemes the entire length of stem.

**4278 Patens** Extra large flowers of the clearest indigo-blue imaginable. Different in form from the above, flowers being broad, tubular and lipped. A real "blue."

Any of the above Blue Salvia: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

Perennial Blue Salvia, page 60.



4242 Salpiglossis, Mixed Colors Pkt. 20¢

#### SALPIGLOSSIS, EMPEROR

Velvet Flower

4242 All Colors Mixed Gorgeously col-4242 All Colors Mixed Gorgeously colored, trumpet-shaped flowers of velvety texture, the colors charmingly penciled, netted, and veined with golden yellow, crimson and purple. In bloom from July until frost. Prized for cutting. It will succeed in semi-shade. Grows 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00



4247 Sanvitalia procumbens fl. pl. Pkt. 25¢

4247 Procumbens fl. pl. Masses of small, zinnia-like double blooms of deep golden yellow on creeping or spreading plants 6 in. tall. Blooms all summer and fall. Excellent for dwarf beds, edgings, cemeteries and rock gardens, especially in dry places.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40



#### SCHIZANTHUS

3505 Giant Mixed Bushy plants with finely laciniated foliage and hundreds of large blooms of many colors, marked and blotched with contrasting colors. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Pkt.  $35 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.50

# SANVITALIA — Creeping Zinnia



3505 Schizanthus, Giant Mixed Pkt. 35¢

Poor Man's Orchid

# PHACELIA — Bee's Friend

3292 Campanularia (California Bluebell) Attractive little plants with gentianblue, bell-shaped flowers marked with five white anther lobes. Fine for edgings and rock gardens; dry or sandy soils. 9 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40



Salvia farinacea 3463 Blue Bedder Pkt. 25¢

3292 Phacelia campanularia Pkt. 25¢

#### RUNNERLESS STRAWBERRIES FROM SEED

4279 Baron Solemacher Produces the largest berries obtainable from seed, and while much smaller than the usual cultivated berries, these have a delicate "wild" flavor and aroma that are quite appealing. The plants do not produce runners, so are suitable for use in edgings or rock gardens. Heavy yielder. Very easy to grow. Pkt.  $35 \, \varepsilon$ ; 2 pkts.  $65 \, \varepsilon$ ; 3 pkts.  $90 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{22}$  oz. \$1.25

# SCABIOSA—Pincushion Flower, Mourning Bride

Called Pincushion Flower because the stamens of some varieties are light in color and stick out in contrast to the petals so that they resemble pins stuck in a cushion. The deep black color of one variety has caused it to be called Mourning Bride. Scabiosas are easy to grow and do well in widely different kinds of soil. Bloom from midsummer until frost if flowers are not allowed to go to seed. Prized for cutting.

#### Tall Large Double Scabiosa

An old favorite, greatly improved in the size and color of flowers as well as length of stems. Wide color range. Ideal for cutting and garden use. 3 ft. tall.

3462 Black Mourning Bride. Unusual shade of deep purplish black. Interesting.

3489 Blue Moon All-America Winner. Rich dark lavender-blue flowers.

3467 Cherry Red Glowing cherry-red; pleasing, unusual red tone; nice for cutting.

3428 Rose Pink Popular shade of deep but bright rose-pink, A favorite for all uses.

3461 Pure White Large dazzling white flowers; with good form and substance.

4252 All Colors Mixed All the best colors nicely blended in a grand mixture.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 70%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.20

4256 Giant Imperial Hybrids The extremely large, fully double, ballshaped flowers,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across, are made up of broad, wavy petals without the usual pincushion center. They come in a full range of colors from white, salmon, coral, rose and red to various pleasing tones of blue. Borne erect on tall, stiff stems makes them highly valuable for cutting and garden. Grow 3 ft. and more tall.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.40

Five Tall Large Flowered Double Scabiosa Black, Blue Moon, Cherry Red, Rose Pink and Pure White

4717—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate colors, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

#### Dwarf Double Scabiosa

3465 Mixed Colors Compact, free blooming plants,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. high, that are ideal for edgings and beds; flowers grow 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75\phi$ 

Perennial Scabiosa, page 61.



#### Medium Tall Double Scabiosa

Flowers grow 11/2 to 2 in, across, almost spherical in shape and borne on long, stiff stems. The bushy plants grow 2 ft. and bloom profusely all summer.

3483 Salmon Pink Shades Colors vary from deep rose-salmon to pure salmon-pink. Exquisite.

4245 Blue, White and Pink Shades Blend of azure-blue, white and shades of deep to light pink.

3471 Heavenly Blue All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Round, soft, lovely azure-blue flowers.

Any of the above Medium Tall Double Scabiosa: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 75%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.40



3404 Sideritis candicans Pkt. 25¢

#### SIDERITIS (Leucaphai)

3404 Candicans Foliage plant with grayish white, felt-like leaves and white, woolly stems. Most desirable for edgings, borders, bedding, pots and vases. 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. 85¢; ⅓8 oz. \$1.50



#### **SUNFLOWER**—Helianthus

Beautiful plants for use as backgrounds or Thrive in almost any soil exposed to the sun; bloom profusely until killed by frost.

4272 Chrysanthemum Flowered Golden yellow chrysanthemum-like, double blooms, 6 to 8 in. across, made up of thou-sands of small fringed petals forming a broad, thick flower of artistic appearance. The sturdy plants grow nearly 7 ft. tall.

4268 Red Artistic flowers of chestnut-red, bright red, crimson, some tipped with yellow, others yellow suffused red. Flowers vary in coloring and in size. 5 to 6 ft. tall.

Either variety of Sunflower: Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60%; oz. \$1.10

#### SMILAX, page 53

#### STEVIA — Sweet Scented

3456 Serrata Fragrant, small white flowers freely produced in clusters all summer. Fine to mix with other cut flowers. 2 ½ ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50



3372 Double Sweet Wivelsfield Pkt. 356

#### SWEET WIVELSFIELD

3372 Double Flowered Mixed Colors Distinct race of "Pinks" with large flowers in various shades of pink, rose, crimson, scarlet and others, with centers and edges of contrasting colors. Grow 1 ft. tall and bloom profusely for many weeks during the summer. Valuable for border, rock garden, edgings, and make nice cut flowers.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.00

#### SWEET WILLIAM

4309 Mixed Colors Many beautiful colors, some starred and mottled, others with clear white eyes. Grow as an annual because plants will flower the first season in late summer and fall if seed is sown early. Where winters are not severe, plants will live over, and last for several years. 15 in.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.35

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Perennial Sweet William, page 62.

3453 Star of Texas Pkt. 25¢

#### STAR OF TEXAS

3453 Light canary-yellow flowers freely produced on bushy plants,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. high and as much across. Stems are thin and strong. Does well anywhere, especially in dry places. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

Page 1, Burpee Guarantee

# DOUBLE LARGE FLOWERED STOCKS

Heavy spikes of handsome, fragrant flowers, like small rosettes, are produced in a wide range of soft and distinct shades. Fine for bedding, borders and cutting. For best results, sow seed indoors in shallow boxes or seed-pans 6 to 8 weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Keep in a temperature of 65° F, or less from the time the seed is sown until the plants have made 8 leaves so that they will form buds. When plants are large enough to handle, pot them up singly and transplant to the garden when weather gets warm. Our strains produce a high percentage of exquisite, large, well-rounded double flowers.



Early Giant Imperial Stocks 3446 Antique Copper Pkt. 25¢

#### **Giant Perfection Stocks**

3494 All Colors Mixed An early double-flowering strain, the plants of which continue to produce many side branches throughout the season. Sometimes called "Cut-and-Come-Again" or "Perpetual Branching." The flowers have a pleasing fragrance. All colors in mixture on plants that grow 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00 ½ oz. \$1.75

#### **Early Giant Imperial Stocks**

Exquisite, well-rounded, large fully double blooms on long stems. Valuable for garden and greenhouse forcing. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

3446 Antique Copper Coppery red.

3448 Dark Blue Attractive; distinct.

3388 Buttercup Beautiful deep yellow

3447 Elk's Pride Rich royal purple.

3347 Lavender Lovely clear shade.

3348 Light Pink Soft, flesh pink.

3479 Fiery Blood Red Vivid; intense. 3407 Deep Rose Pink Popular.

3431 Shasta Glistening snow white.

**4271 Mixed Colors** All the above choice and other colors in a grand mixture.

Any of the above Giant Imperial Stocks: Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.75

#### **Dwarf Ten Weeks Stocks**

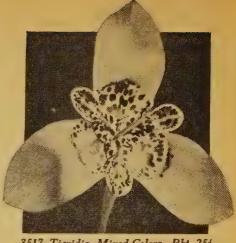
3424 All Colors Mixed A favorite class, coming into bloom in about ten weeks after seed is sown. A mixture of all colors. Bushy, compact plants 15 to 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

#### **5** Giant Imperial Stocks

Antique Copper (coppery red), Buttercup (deep yellow), Elk's Pride (royal purple), Fiery Blood Red, Shasta (snow white)

4786 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of all 5 colors, value \$1.25 for only \$1.00



3517 Tigridia, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

#### TIGRIDIA

Tigerflower, Mexican Shell Flower

3517 Mixed Colors Large, brilliantly colored, triangularly shaped flowers in many varied hues of scarlet, rose, yellow and orange. Smaller petals are marked with carmine, purple or mahogany and sometimes tinged pink, lavender and apricot. Blooms in August and September. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

Tigridia bulbs, page 118.



3512 Thunbergia alata, Mixed Pkt. 25¢

#### THUNBERGIA

Black-Eyed Susan Vine

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3512 Alata Mixed An unusually pretty
little climber or may be used as a trailing
plant for ground cover, hanging baskets
and window-boxes. Forms a dense mat of
foliage and flowers. Colors range through
yellow, orange and buff to pure white,
some with black eyes. Grow 5 ft. long.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 75¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25

# Burpee's Special Flower Seed Blends for Special Purposes

#### MAGIC CARPET® of Flowers

3242 Special mixture of the best dwarf growing, easy to grow annuals which, when in bloom, give the appearance of a beautifully colored carpet. Included in this assortment are carpet of snow sweet alyssum, lobelia, petunia, tagetes, verbena and others. Sure to make a grand showing from early summer until frost in low beds, edgings, borders and in rock gardons. ings, borders and in rock gardens.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

#### Luther Burbank's **Favorite Flowers**

3093 Special Mixture Large shaggy-petaled asters, marvelous snapdragons, calpetaled asters, marvelous snapdragons, calliopsis, celosia, centaurea, cynoglossum, gypsophila, helichrysum, larkspur, nicotiana, poppies, rudbeckia, salpiglossis, miniature zinnias and others. A rare and delightful blend of flowers on which Luther Burbank started hybridizing years ago.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

#### Window Box Garden

3534 Special mixture of flowers especially suited for outdoor summer porch and window boxes including violet and white alyssum, dianthus, linaria, signet marigolds, petunia, miniature zinnias and others.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00



Annuals for Cutting 3001 Finest Mixture Pkt. 35¢

#### Annuals for Cutting

4013 Mixed A choice assortment of longstemmed flowers in many colors selected for cutting; well suited for beds and borders.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3001 Finest Mixture This Special Mixture is an attractive assortment of Burpee's recent flower introductions—Sun Giants Marigold, Giant Hybrid Zinnias, Tetra Snapdragons and other newer varieties.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

#### All-America Flower Garden

3104 Flowers that have won awards in the trialgrounds competition of the All-America Selections are either different or superior to Selections are either different or superior to similar kinds already on the market. They have been tested in various climatic zones and in sandy to clay soils. Included in this mixture are Gold, Silver and Bronze Medal Winners to add interest and appeal to any garden or flower arrangement. Your opportunity to make the control of the second of the sec tunity to get some fine varieties.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

#### **Annuals for Bedding**

3012 Mixed Showy, free-blooming dwarf annuals especially chosen for beds and borders but many may be used for cutting. Popular varieties that are easily grown are included in this mixture to provide a wide range of brilliant colors for a gay display.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

#### Wild Flower Garden

4299 Mixed This is not a mixture of wild 4299 MIXEC This is not a mixture of who flowers but a selection of easy-to-grow annual flowers which will give a natural or wild effect in the garden, odd corners and vacant borders, with little attention.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; 1/4 lb. \$2.25

#### VERBENA

Colorful, dwarf plants, ideal for edgings, ground cover, rock gardens, porch boxes and cutting. The flowers are borne in large trusses from midsummer until late fall. Thrive in any well-drained soil, and withstand drought. We offer several distinct types; all are lovely and fill certain needs.

#### **GIANT VERBENAS**

Robust plants, 8 to 12 in. high,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. and more across. Large trusses of individual blooms over 1 in. across.

3487 Apple Blossom Almost white shading to cameo-pink.

3539 Crimson Glow Rich color that is very showy.

3501 Floradale Beauty All-America Silver Medal Winner. Colors from bright rose-pink to the very deepest rose-red.

3536 Lavender Glory All-America Silver Medal Winner. Exquisite lavender set off by contrasty creamy white eye.

3497 Royale Deep blue with contrasting yellow eye.

3558 Salmon Pink True salmon-pink - nice with white.

3511 Spectrum Red All-America Medal Winner, Vivid red.

3528 White Combines well with any of the other colors.

4345 Finest Mixed All the above colors in mixture.

Any of the above Giant Flowered Verbenas: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

4 Giant Flowered Verbenas Apple Blossom, Royale, Spectrum Red and White

4727—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 4 separate varieties for a gay bed or border, value \$1.00 for only



**DWARF VERBENAS** A lovely type for edging, bedding and pot culture. Instead of the plants being of spreading habit, these are of compact, dense growth and covered with beautiful blooms all through the summer until late fall.

#### TALL ERECT VERBENAS

3514 Royal Bouquet Mixed Colors Many bright and cheerful colors. Flowers are large. While the plants are of neat, compact habit, they grow 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ¼ oz. \$1.50

#### LARGE FLOWERED VERBENAS

3529 Sutton's Blue Deep royal blue rounded flower trusses,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across and as deep as they are wide. Exquisite. Pkt.  $25\frac{\epsilon}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{6}$  oz.  $85\frac{\epsilon}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

#### **Dwarf Compact**

Plants grow about 6 in. high, 10 to 12 in. across and form neat little mounds covered with pretty, medium-sized flower heads.

3507 Carmine Ball Bright carmine color.

3508 Creamy White New and distinct.

3525 Fireball Brilliant scarlet. Striking.

Any of the above Dwarf Compact Verbenas: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

#### **Dwarf Erect**

3527 Blue Sentinel All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Broad, deep trusses of royal violet-blue flowers. Plants grow 10 in. tall. 3549 Venus Soft chamois-pink, the innermost flowers suffused copper or terra-cotta rose which creates a most appealing bicolor effect. Dwarf erect plants only 10 in. tall.

Either of the above Dwarf Erect Verbenas: Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; ½ oz. \$1.85

Perennial Verbena, page 62.



4344 Tithonia, Torch Pkt. 25¢

**4344 Torch** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Tithonia, also known as Mexican Sunflower, is a stately plant with spectacu-

lar, single, dahlia-like fiery orange-red flowers 3 to 4 in. across, which are nice for cutting. The tall plants are suitable for back-

grounds or hedges and are of compact, upright bushy form, 4 ft. tall. Flowers are borne in abundance in Aug. and Sept.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75

**TITHONIA** 

#### TORENIA — Wishbone Flower

The compact, bushy plants, 1 ft. tall, bloom during the summer and fall with flowers that have a striking resemblance to miniature snapdragons. Fine for beds, borders, pots, window-boxes and rock gardens. Do well in semi-shady locations.

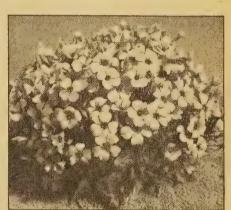
3504 Torenia fournieri Pkt. 25¢

3504 Fournieri Light blue blotched deeper blue in contrast to a yellow throat.

3496 White Wings Ivory tinted rose. Either variety of Torenia:

Pkt.  $25 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.75

Average heights and blooming season are given in descriptions. Of course, the time is average, having been obtained over a period of years in our trial grounds under different conditions; some variation is to be expected, depending on the season, locality and time of sowing.



3521 Viscaria, Blue Gem Pkt. 25¢

#### VISCARIA — Rainbow Drops

3521 Blue Gem, Tom Thumb Free-blooming plants, 8 in. tall, bearing many single, light ultramarine blue flowers 1 to 1½ in. across throughout the summer. In hot sections, start seed indoors. Nice as a cut flower in indoor arrangements.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

#### WALLFLOWER

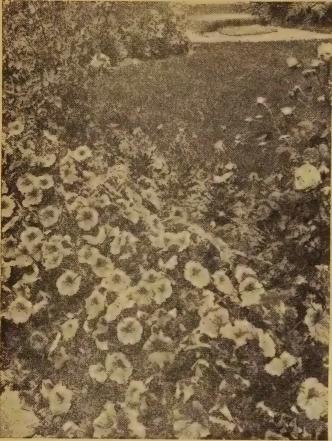
3559 Double, Mixed Colors Lovely sweet-scented flowers in oriental colorings of red, brown, mahogany and yellow, that add interest to flower arrangements. Canary-yellow, golden yellow, brown and mahogany are predominating colors. Blooms within five months from seed. The plants grow to a height of from 1½ to 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

**Early Orders Appreciated** 

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#### Flowers from seed are so easy to grow, there is no excuse for any home not having plenty.

# Burpee's F, Hybrid Petunias



4213 Burpee's Silver Medal Hybrid Petunia Pht. 50¢

# F, Hybrid Petunias

Each a hand pollinated variety

4227 Ballerina All-America Winner. Large, single, soft glowing salmon, exquisitely fringed flowers that are 3½ to 4 in. across on dwarf, compact plants 1 ft. tall, with a spread of 2 ft. and more.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½128 oz. \$5.00

4214 Comanche All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Intense, fiery, vivid scarlet-red flowers, 2½ in. across on dwarf plants that are of uniform, bushy habit, 1 ft. tall. Extremely profuse.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½28 oz. \$4.00

4369 Fire Dance All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Fringed flowers 3 in. across of rich scarlet-red with a contrasting golden yellow throat are produced on dwarf plants about 15 in. tall.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½28 oz. \$5.00

4398 Glitters All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Most attractive, carmine-red starred white; its unique color pattern is uniform and very attractive in garden or for cutting. Flowers 2½ in. across are borne prominently above the foliage. Plants only 8 in. tall.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50%; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½128 oz. \$5.00

3343 Maytime NEW IIIS TEE All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Large, clear, light salmon pink flowers  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across with slightly fringed petals. Very uniform, compact, base-branching habit with a spread up to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Nice for window boxes. 1 ft. Pkt. (150 seeds)  $75\frac{1}{2}$ ; 3 pkts. \$2.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$ 128 oz. \$6.50

4354 Paleface All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Pure white plain petaled flowers 2½ in. across with a golden yellow throat are produced in profusion on compact, uniform plants about 15 in. tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25; ½128 oz. \$4.00

4274 **Prima Donna** All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Giant, prettily fringed, bright rose-pink flowers, 3½ to 4 in. across, freely borne on dwarf, compact spreading plants 1 ft. tall. Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½128 oz. \$5.00

4399 Red Satin All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Bright scarlet-red flowers, 2½ in. across, cover the dwarf, mound-like plants which grow about 1 ft. tall. A most vivid red. Valuable because it holds its color and does well under adverse conditions.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½128 oz. \$5.00

3377 Tango Daintily fringed, deep but bright scarlet-salmon flowers, 3½ to 4 in. across. The plants are uniformly dwarf, about 12 to 15 in. tall, vigorous and make a most striking display.

Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½128 oz. \$5.00

Each a true first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hand pollinated hybrid and all created on Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms

4213 Silver Medal® All-America Silver Medal Winner. Lustrous salmon-cerise gradually changing to rich salmon. The gorgeous blooms grow 3 in. across; the low, bushy plants 1 ft. tall. Prolific and one of the finest for color and good habit.

**4366 Blue Bonnet** Large 2½ in. clear blue flowers cover the 30 in. plants; a better blue than any other petunia we have seen.

**4376 King Salmon** Showy 3 in. flowers of richest deep salmon on compact spreading plants 20 in. tall. An excellent new color.

4234 Pink Sensation All-America Bronze Medal Winner; Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Lovely lightrose-pink flowers, 3 in. across. Spreading plants 2 ft. tall.

4387 **Scarlet Gleam** Brilliant scarlet flowers 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across with a slight undertone of orange are borne in profusion. 20 in.

4386 Yellow Gleam The deepest yellow of all petunias. 2½ in., slightly frilled flowers of clear lemon-yellow, darker toward the throat. The color becomes lighter in hot weather. 30 in. plants covered with blooms for display and cutting throughout the season.

**4385 Burpee's F<sub>1</sub> Hybrids, Mixed Colors** Each of the above varieties, plus other new ones of which the seed supply is too short to offer separately, in a dazzling mixture for beds and borders with an abundance of the most gorgeous flowers for cutting.

Any of the above Burpee  $F_1$  Hybrid Petunias: Pkt. (150 seeds) 50¢; 3 pkts. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{128}$  oz. \$4.00

#### 4 Choice Burpee F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Petunias

Blue Bonnet, King Salmon, Scarlet Gleam and Yellow Gleam

4841—SPECIAL: One packet each of these 4 separate colors, value \$2.00, only

# Burpee F<sub>2</sub> Hybrid Petunias THE CROWN JEWELS

Every one is a true second generation hybrid petunia. Every flower of the parents of the  $F_1$  from which this seed was grown was pollinated by hand; therefore, the seed will always be valuable. These petunias have hybrid vigor and provide colors that are distinct from all existing varieties—clearer, brighter, more pleasing or absolutely different. All are easy to grow.

3569 Royal Blue Clear velvety blue star-shaped flowers 2½ in. across with a delightful spicy fragrance. Floriferous 28 in. plants.

3568 Coronation Rich salmon-cerise shaded salmon pink, the effect being a glorious, soft salmon. 2¾ in. flowers; 18 in. plants.

3571 **Moonstone** Lighter color than Yellow Gleam F<sub>1</sub>. Flowers are frilled, creamy yellow to pale lemon-yellow, 2½ in. across. 20 in.

4417 Royal Scarlet Intense scarlet-red flowers,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, which hold their color. Contrasty throat which is almost black to yellow. Striking in the garden and lovely for cutting. 20 in. tall.

Any of the above Burpee F<sub>2</sub> Hybrid Crown Jewel Petunias: Pkt. (200 seeds) 35¢; ½128 oz. \$1.25; ½64 oz. \$2.25

4183 Burpee's F<sub>2</sub> Hybrids, Mixed Colors A blend of all the above named varieties. The light yellow Moonstone brightens up the mixture. All the colors fairly sparkle and thus suggested the name "Crown Jewels." Plants are vigorous and free blooming, 1½ to 2 ft. Provide grand garden color, with many cutting blooms.

Pkt. (200 seeds) 25¢; ½28 oz. \$1.00; ½64 oz. \$1.85

Burpee F<sub>2</sub> Hybrid Crown Jewel Petunias Royal Blue, Coronation, Moonstone and Royal Scarlet

4827—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four separate Crown Jewels Petunias, value \$1.40 for only

#### LIFE—Burpee's F<sub>2</sub> Hybrid Petunias

4403 Life Petunias, a new outstanding blend with the widest range of colors found in any petunia mixture—vivid, contrasty and harmonious. Clear whites set off cool blues and royal violet-blues; lemon-yellows bring out the vivid coloring of deep scarlets; rich salmons of many tones complete the symphony of color. Plants grow vigorously and bloom freely from early summer until frost. Excellent for all purposes—beds, borders, window boxes and cutting. Pkt. (300 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½28 oz. \$1.75



3434 Flaming Velvet Petunia Pkt. 25¢

# **Burpee's Bedding Petunias**

Plants are extremely free blooming, producing a wealth of flowers even under the most trying conditions of weather and soil. Ideal for large beds, borders and porch boxes. Seeds may be sown directly outdoors when soil has become warm, or for earliest blooms, start the seeds indoors in pots, seed-pans or shallow boxes of fine soil about 6 weeks before your outdoor planting time. The vigorous plants grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

3303 Burpee's Blue Rich, clear blue flowers,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. across. The finest blue bedding spreading petunia there is.

3434 Flaming Velvet All-America Gold Medal Winner. Deep velvety mahogany-red with a satiny luster of scarlet. Large blooms of good texture and, although the color is dark, it is rich and luminous. Makes very impressive showing.

**4203 Florabunda** Remarkable blend of blue, white, rose and red large flowered petunias for large beds and wide borders.

**3296 Radiance** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Glowing, soft cerise-rose with underlying salmon to intensify its brilliance; brown-veined golden yellow throat adds a pleasing, delicate contrast.

**4231 Snowstorm** Pure, clear, snowwhite flowers are borne most lavishly from early summer until late fall. Magnificent. Makes wonderful contrast with dark colors.

Any of the above Bedding Petunias: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.60

4191 Special Mixture The best varieties of blue, crimson, white, cerise, salmon and golden-rose bedding spreading petunias blended for a harmonious effect in the garden or in window boxes.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 85¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.60

4202 **Mixed Colors** From early summer until frost this mixture of bedding petunias will provide a colorful and harmonious display. Sure to be admired.

Pkt. 15¢; ½6 oz. 50¢; ½8 oz. 85¢

#### **Best 4 Bedding Petunias**

Burpee's Blue, Flaming Velvet, Radiance and Snowstorm

4805—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four separate named bedding per tunias, value \$1.00 only 85¢

# **Balcony or Large Flowered Bedding Petunias**

Showy plants with long branches covered with blooms 21/2 to 3 in. and more across. Equally as desirable for trailing from hanging baskets, porch and balcony boxes as for bedding. Seeds may be started indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans about six weeks before your usual outdoor planting time or they may be sown directly outdoors when the soil has become warm. Plants grow 1½ ft. tall and are very profuse blooming throughout the season.

**4368 Salmon** Glorious, bright salmon flowers, somewhat lighter toward edges; yellow throat with brown markings. An appealing shade enhanced with a lustrous sheen.

3342 Black Prince Darkest of all red balcony petunias —deep, luminous mahogany-red enriched with a satiny black throat and an over-all velvety sheen. Flowers do not fade, but deepen in tone as they age. Black Prince is a striking, showy and distinct balcony petunia.

**4218 Blue Wonder** Remarkable for its gorgeous cornflower-blue color which is retained throughout the entire growing season. Does not throw reddish violet or variegated flowers as other blues often do. Highly recommended.

**3325 Rose** Fiery rose—radiant, soft and most pleasing. A great favorite for garden decoration and highly prized for cutting. Dependable for uniform color, even as flowers age.

**4201 White Wonder** Flowers are pure glistening white, 3 in. and more across. Nice alone or with any of the others. The plants are completely covered with blooms at all times.

4219 Burpee's Best Mixture This is an exceptionally choice assortment of the finest varieties in blue, rose, white, with enough mahogany-red and crimson to give a depth of color and create a gorgeous display all through the season.

Any of the above Balcony, Large Flowered Bedding Petunias:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

4196 **Mixed Colors** Splendid blend of all colors to be found in the balcony class of large flowered bedding petunias. Excellent for massing in beds and wide borders. A popular mixture which is also valuable for porch and window boxes and trailing from hanging baskets, as well as for cutting. Pkt. 20¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

#### 4175 PETUNIAS ON PARADE®

Many named varieties, among them being Cheerful, Peach Red, Flaming Velvet, Cream Star, Burpee's Blue and others of outstanding merit. Colors include red, white, blue, scarlet, salmon, rose-pink, etc. A good way to enjoy many different individual varieties for beds, borders and porch boxes, at little cost.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.75

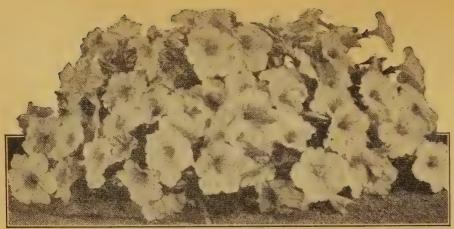
#### 5 Finest Balcony Large Flowered Petunias

Blue Wonder, Black Prince, Rose, Salmon and White Wonder

4807—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five choice named petunias for large beds, wide borders and porch boxes, value \$1.25 for only



4368 Burpee's Balcony Salmon Petunia Pkt. 256



4216 Dwarf Petunia, Cheerful—clear salmon-pink Pkt. 35¢

# **Dwarf Petunias**

Very free, early flowering compact petunias, the round, mound-like plants being covered with blooms from early summer until frost. Ideal for edgings to taller petunias or other plants; unexcelled for beds, borders and highly desirable for pot culture. May be depended upon to produce a grand display in the garden for a long period.

**Four Select Dwarf Petunias** Blue Bird, Peach Red, Rose of Heaven and Snowball 4702—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four named varieties, value \$1.00 for only 85¢

**3333 Blue Bird** Deep, clear blue-violet flowers, the beauty and richness of which are increased by a glistening velvety luster.

3384 Cream Star All-America Silver Medal Winner. creamy white star-shaped flowers; golden yellow toward throat.

3383 Peach Red All-America Winner. Deep salmon suffused light red, the softness of the intense salmon being most pleasing.

**4211 Rose of Heaven** Exquisite shade of clear rose with slightly lighter rose throat, which creates a most pleasing effect.

3313 Rosy Morn Medium-size flowers of clear rose-pink with white throat. Perhaps one of the best known dwarf petunias.

**4209 Snowball** Lovely, pure, sating white blooms; splendid by itself and in combination with others, emphasizing their colors. Any of the above 6 varieties of Dwarf Petunias:

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.60

4216 Cheerful All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Clear salmon-pink flowers, 2¾ in. across, with deeper rose veining toward the throat. Here and there are some blooms a tint or two lighter.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½16 oz. \$1.50; ½8 oz. \$2.75 4243 Fire Chief All-America Gold Medal Winner. The reddest dwarf petunia, the color deepening toward the throat.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{6}$  oz. 1.25;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 2.25

4199 **Special Mixture** Included are blue, carmine, rose, ruby red, creamy white, soft salmon and silver blue—beautiful blend of all these colors for a gorgeous showing in your garden.

Pkt.  $35 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 2 pkts.  $65 \, \text{\'e}$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.75

4217 **Mixed Colors** Choice mixture of popular dwarf compact varieties for an inexpensive display in garden beds and borders.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.60



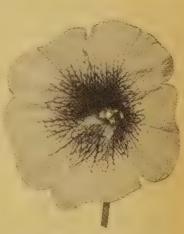
4243 Dwarf Petunia, Fire Chief Pkt. 25¢

# Burpee's Species Hybrids Petunias

These hybrids are the result of crosses between the best bedding petunias and the wild species. Plants have unusual vigor and are excel-lent for flower beds, wide borders, window boxes and furnish an abundance of flowers for cutting.

4221 Funny Face Flowers are white with yellow throat and amusing brownish purple veins overlaying the throat and extending well up over the face of the flower thus suggesting the name Funny Face. Plants are bushy, 16 in. high, spreading 2 ft. across and covered with salping. and covered with salpi-glossis-like flowers, 2 in. across throughout the long blooming season.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.60



Species Hybrid Petunia 4221 Funny Face Pkt. 25¢

4414 Paradise A blend of petunias that are distinctly new and different and come in unusual colors including rich salmon, salmoncerise, salmon-reds, white, delicate blues and lavender. Many of the blooms are penciled brown and of a unique funnel-like form, others are solid colors with wide open throats. 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.60

4371 Pinocchio Clear salmon-cerise flowers with a pleasing undertone of orange; slightly star shaped and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Compact, branched plants  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. tall are very free flowering.

Pkt.  $30\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$2.25

# BURPEE'S PETUNIA GARDEN

Crown Jewels, F<sub>2</sub> Hybrids Mixed Colors; Flaming Velvet (Bedding); Fire Chief (Dwarf) Blue Wonder, Rose, White Wonder (Balcony).

4803—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six lovely petunias, value \$1.50 for only

# Giant Single Flowered Petunias

Burpee's Giant Petunias grow 4 in, and more across, while some are almost as large as the giant ruffled varieties. All are smooth edged, that is, they are not fringed or ruffled but deeply five-lobed. Excellent for beds, pots, window boxes, and cutting. Start seeds indoors eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time.

3373 Mixed Colors A marvelous blend of Giant Petunias with plain or smooth edges; many colors, including the three separate varieties and some others of which we do not have, this year, enough seed to offer separately. Desirable for all purposes.

Pkt. 35¢; ½28 oz. \$1.75; ½4 oz. \$3.00 3394 Elk's Purple Lovely deep violet-purple blooms forming a five-pointed star with their large, smooth-edged lobes. Remarkably rich and even tone is carried over the entire surface of the flower; free from any suggestion of magenta. The plants grow 18 in. tall.

3335 Pink Glory Large blooms of a most exquisite, luminous pink shade, the beauty of which is enhanced by a contrasting white throat finely marked with creamy white veins. Grow 1 ft. tall.

3393 White Cloud Exceptionally free-blooming dwarf compact plants, 1 ft. tall, covered with pure glistening white flowers.

Any of the above Giant Single Flowered Petunias:

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

**Burpee's Giant Fringed Petunias** 

Burpee's Giant Fringed Petunias, which average 4 to 5 in, across when properly grown, have a charm of their own due to their attractively fringed or frilled blooms. The varieties offered are the finest for size, color, and form of the flowers. They are admirably suited for bedding purposes, pot culture and for cutting. Seeds should be sown indoors about eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. Plants grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

**3336 Apple Blossom** Apple-blossom-pink enriched by deeper pink veinings in the throat. Artistically fringed at edges.

3323 **Theodosia** Large, deeply fringed rose-pink flowers with a clearly defined yellow throat veined purplish black.

**3413 Violet Beauty** Velvety violet-blue with purplish black throat overlaid with deep-etched black veins. A cast of heliotrope at the base of the throat adds richness to the flower.

3334 White Beauty Pure white, faintly veined with cool apple-green in the throat. Sure to attract wherever grown.

Any of the above Giant Fringed Petunias:

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 1/128 oz. \$2.00; 1/64 oz. \$3.75

# Four Select Giant Fringed Petunias

4802—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above 4 varieties, value \$1.60 for only \$1.35

4205 Giant Fringed, Finest Mixed In this blend we have included varieties of as many pleasing and different colors as possible. Many are self or solid; others attractively blotched or oddly variegated in contrasting shades. Edges of petals are beautifully frilled and in addition some are wonderfully fringed.

Pkt. 40¢; ½128 oz. \$2.00; ½64 oz. \$3.75

4208 Burpee's Defiance, Mixed Mixture of choice fringed and ruffled tall varieties in the best colors. Many of the named varieties listed on this page plus others. The large blooms in such variety of color provide very interesting material for cutting as well as attract a great deal of admiration in the garden.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; ½128 oz. \$2.00

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Giant Fringed Petunias,
Super Frills, All
Colors Mixed
Pkt. 756

4441 Super Frills, All Colors Mixed NEW THIS YEAR These new giants are far better than existing varieties—so extremely fringed they have the appearance of double petunias. Colors include pink, deep burgundy, mauve, white and others. Many are self or solid colors; others attractively blotched or variegated in contrasting shades thus lending additional charm to these wonderful flowers. The large blooms are borne profusely above the 18 in. plants. Unsurpassed for garden decoration and for cut flowers in arrangements.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 1/128 oz. \$3.50

# Giant Ruffled Petunias

Burpee's Giant Ruffled Petunias are held in high esteem for bedding, borders, cutting, and most valuable for porch and window boxes as well as for pot culture. The flowers, with their large, wide-open throats, are deeply ruffled, artistically veined and, when well grown, often measure 5 to 7 in. across. The plants grow from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. tall.

**3403 Camilla** Soft strawberry-pink with an elusive trace of pastel salmon. In beautiful contrast to the ground color is a rich bright rose veining which deepens in the throat to a shining, burnished crimson-maroon. Entirely different from all of the other varieties of giant ruffled petunias.

3332 Copper Red Distinct rosy copper-red with dark throat. A magnificent rich color. One of the finest petunias.

**3423 Evening Star** Glistening pure white, accentuated by the rich yellow throat that is veined a deeper yellow.

3368 Mauve Queen Light mauve or heliotrope on white ground; large, satiny black throat with purple veining.

**3315 Dwarf Giants of California** Magnificent large flowers in a wonderful range of colors are borne profusely on dwarf, compact plants of good habit. Fine for cutting.

Any of the above Giant Ruffled Petunias:

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½128 oz. \$2.50; ¼64 oz. \$4.50

4206 Little Giants, Mixed Colors Dwarf, erect, compact, little plants covered with large, ruffled flowers in many colors; begin to bloom quite early and continue for a long time. Fine for borders or pots; nice in window boxes.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½128 oz. \$1.75

Four Finest Giant Ruffled Petunias Camilla, Copper Red, Evening Star, Mauve Queen

4806—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four separate varieties, value \$2.00 for only \$1.75



3403 Giant Ruffled Petunia, Camilla Pkt. 50¢

4233 Giant Fluffy Ruffles, Prize Mixture Marvelous blend of the very best named giant ruffled petunias in a wide range of beautiful colors and markings. Fine for use as čut flowers.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½128 oz. \$2.50; ¼4 oz. \$4.50

Alldouble Petunias—First Generation F1 Hybrid Burpee Salmon Alldouble Petunia Pkt. \$1.00

#### **Best Four Giant Alldouble Petunias**

Burpee White, Burpee Salmon, Burpee Orchid and Colossal Shades of Rose

4782-SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four choice named varieties, value \$4.00 for only

**4228 America** All-America Silver Medal Winner. Named America because it was the first alldouble petunia ever created in America. Flowers are rose-pink, 2 in. and more across. Plants are 1 ft. tall, 18 in. across. Blooms early and continues until frost. Fine for garden and cutting. Pkt. (100 seeds) 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 3 pkts. \$2.00; 1000 seeds \$6.00

4197 Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower All-America Silver Medal Winner. Flowers grow 3½ in, across, double and of a soft mid-salmon shade never before seen in any petunia. Plants are dwarf, bushy, and grow 16 in, tall and up to 30 in, across. A distinctive medium-sized petunia. Good for cutting.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$2.00; 2 pkts. \$3.75; 3 pkts. \$5.25; 1000 seeds \$16.50

4406 Burpee's Best Alldouble Mixed Spectacular wherever grown. Flowers 3½ to 4 in. across, finely fringed and wherever grown. Flowers 3½ to 4 in. across, finely fringed and ruffled, pure whites, salmon and rose shades, rich salmoncerise, bicolored rose-pinks, deep rose and deep royal blue. Their beauty, exquisite colorings, size, form and faint spicy fragrance cannot be surpassed by any other petunias.

Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.25; 2 pkts. \$2.25; 3 pkts. \$3.25; 1000 seeds \$9.00

ALLDOUBLE PETUNIAS

The seeds are obtained at such high cost by hand-pollination that they are worth many times their weight in gold. Extra care should be used in sowing them. Start seeds indoors in shallow boxes, pots or seed-pans eight weeks before your usual outdoor planting time. All are excellent for beds, borders, window boxes, pot-plants and cutting.

4353 Burpee White Alldouble Petunia Blooms 4½ in. across Pkt. \$1.00

3374 Allegro Beautifully fringed, full double flowers 31/2 to 4 in. across, scarlet-salmon in bud opening to an exquisite bright, deep salmon. Plants are 12 in. tall, with spread of 2 ft. across. A lovely, base branching, free blooming dwarf.

4215 Burpee Orchid Unusually lovely, attractively formed flowers, 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, of a rich, light orchid color with deep, rosy purple veins. Intense ruffling and deep fringing add to the beauty of the exquisite blooms. Plants are semi-erect, prolific blooming. the main stems growing about 20 in. tall; the lateral branches spread as much as 3 ft.

4416 Burpee Salmon Loosely double flowers, 4½ to 5 in, across, of a most appealing shade of mid-salmon becoming slightly lighter toward the fringe-edged petals. The delightful salmon color makes it highly desirable as a cut flower. The bushy 18 in, plants make it an excellent subject for beds and borders.

4353 Burpee White Glistening white double fringed flowers,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, are freely produced on strong growing plants 2 ft. tall. We consider Burpee White the best white for garden decoration and cutting that has been produced.

4224 Colossal Shades of Rose All-America Silver Medal Winner. The first giant alldouble petunia ever created in America and the biggest double petunia ever known, many flowers over 5 in. across. All are fully double varying in form from those with crisply fringed and frilled petals to those with prettily ruffled ones. This variation adds interest to a planting as does the difference in color, which ranges from salmony pink through rose-pink to deep, rich, rosy mauve—a most attractive blending of rose shades. Plants are strong growing, 20 in. tall, up to 3 ft. across.

3354 Rose Marie All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Fully double, rose-pink flowers, 3 in. and more across, are freely borne on dwarf, compact plants 18 in. tall and spreading 30 in. across, throughout the season. Very choice.

**3455 Sonata** Pure white, deeply fringed, double flowers of perfect form and good substance,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 in. across, are freely borne on vigorous, medium dwarf plants  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall and up to 2 ft. across. Extra choice for garden and cutting.

4391 Giant Alldouble, Glorious Mixture Wonderfully fringed, big, double blooms, round and showy in many fine colors and shades, including salmon, rose, purple, lavender, and pure white. Many of the flowers show a combination of colors. The plants are dwarf, free blooming; average height 15 in. with a spread up to 2 ft. across.

> Any of the above Alldouble Petunias: Pkt. (100 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 3 pkts. \$2.70; 1000 seeds \$8.00







# Burpee's Giant Hybrid Zinnias

First named and introduced by Burpee in 1951

The loveliest flowers ever created. They include first and second generation hybrids, grow 5 in. and more across, with a pleasing variation in petal formation, many being of the informal ruffled type, some attractively curled, others gracefully quilled. The loosely arranged petals give the flowers an airy appearance, free of the stiffness of some other zinnia types.

Plants are strong, free blooming,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft. tall and ideal for garden decoration and cutting. In our opinion these beautiful flowers have been wrongly named "Cactus Flowered" or "Giant Fantasy." No matter what name you prefer, be sure to get your seed direct from Burpee—the originator.

Burpee's Giant Hybrid Zinnias have been Highly Commended by the Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain.

4426 Rosie O'Grady New THIS YEAR This newest member of the family of Burpee's Giant Hybrid Zinnias is a distinctive bicolor with a deep rose center that shades toward the outer petals to a soft rose. The flowers are made up of attractively curled and twisted petals that are characteristic of the graceful, informal Burpee Hybrid Zinnias. A beautiful sight either in the garden or when they are cut.

Pkt. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.00

**4075 Apricot** Glorious color in the much talked of Giant Hybrid Zinnias. Flowers are finely quilled like some chrysanthemums, double, symmetrical and of an attractive shade of coral suffused apricot. Wonderful for garden display and a highly desirable and appealing shade for cutting.

4334 **Blaze** All-America Winner. Bursts into bloom with a profusion of brilliant mandarin-red flowers and, as the flowers attain size, changes to an exciting fiery orange-scarlet. And the amazing thing is that for all its size and vivid color, it retains the grace and informality associated with Burpee's Giant Hybrids. Gorgeous when cut, alone or with others and equally striking in the garden.

4375 Burpee Gold Large delightful blooms of saffron or golden yellow; symmetrical and fully double. Most flowers have slightly curled petals, creased toward the tips, which gives a fluffy, informal appearance so popular in these new zinnias; some petals are broader than others.

**4331 Eskimo** Flowers are loosely ruffled, open creamy white and change to white as they mature. Petals are long and narrow, slightly turned and faintly notched at the tips.

4333 The Now Fleradale Scarlet Vibrant scarlet-red flowers, made up of many ruffled and fluffed petals which curve under and twist gaily to create a deep flower of unusual grace and refinement. Perfect for bold accent plantings in annual and perennial gardens; prized for cutting. This strain is greatly improved in color and form.

4301 **Glamour Girls** Delightful mixture of the lighter shades of Burpee Hybrids. Included are buffy apricot, orange-apricot, chamois, orange suffused rose, salmonpinks, soft rose shades, creamy yellows, salmon-cerise, cream, white and other soft, pastel shades and colors.

**4352 Kismet** A color entirely new to any type of zinnias, a gorgeous, radiant, Persian red. Flowers are highly double, attractive, and have the relaxing, informally quilled petals characteristic of many of the Burpee Hybrids. Kismet is very free blooming and will make a grand showing in your garden and you will get equal enjoyment from it as a cut flower to add brilliance to arrangements.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Hybrid Zinnias, except Rosie O'Grady: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; ¼ oz. \$1.85; ½ oz. \$3.50



**4325 Riverside Beauty** Warm, luminous azalea-pink flowers, of an airy, informal appearance, the petals twisted and gaily curled. Long, strong stems support the large flowers that are lovely for garden and prized for cutting.

**4351 Rosalind** Distinctive new bicolor in the Burpee Giant Hybrid class. The large, exquisite flowers are bright rose pink shading to salmon-rose in the centers. The fluffy heads which have loosely ruffled to curled petals are borne on strong stems and make beautiful cut flowers.

**4305 Sunny Boy** Rich buttercup-yellow flowers made up of many delightfully ruffled petals alive with color and brilliancy. A planting of Sunny Boy Zinnia is attractive in the garden and the flowers wonderful when cut.

Any of the above Burpee Giant Hybrid Zinnias:

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; ¼ oz. \$1.85; ½ oz. \$3.50

# 4323 All Colors Mixed Burpee Giant Hybrid Zinnias

New and better blend—many colors and showy color combinations never before seen in these or any other zinnias. Chinese corals, vermilions, soft shades of orange, unusual pinks, carmine-rose, saffron-yellows with pink on reverse of petals, fire reds changing to orange and many flowers with cream or yellow centers that give an unusual and effective two-tone effect. Shading of color on individual petals also gives interesting color tints not usually seen in zinnias. Their glistening beauty, stem length, and keeping quality make them one of the most popular of all cut flowers. Burpee Hybrid Zinnias are prized for exhibition purposes. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.75; ½ oz. \$3.25; oz. \$6.00

#### **Burpee's Giant Hybrid Zinnias**

Apricot, Blaze, Eskimo,
The New Floradale Scarlet and Sunny Boy

4811 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above five separate varieties, value \$1.25 for \$1.00

4747—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above five and Burpee Gold, Kismet, Riverside Beauty, Rosalind and Rosie O'Grady, all 10, value \$2.65 for only



# GIANT ZINNIA MIXTURES FOR VARIETY OF SHOWY TYPES AND COLORS

4302 Zinnias on Parade® Large, showy flowers of different shapes and sizes in a wide range of lovely self colors and unusual color combinations for a grand display, especially in the home garden with plenty of long-stemmed, long-lasting flowers for cutting.

4304 Burpee's Gigantic Zinnias Colossal and Chrysan-

Either of the above Giant Zinnia Mixtures: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### **BURPEE'S ZINNIA GARDEN**

7 pkts., 4 different types; 1 pkt. each of:

Burpee's Giant Hybrids, All Colors Mixed

Giant Dahlia Flowered, Canary Bird (yellow) Exquisite (rose), Polar Bear (white) and Will Rogers (scarlet)

Persian Carpet, Miniature, Mixed Colors

Little Cupid, Burpee's Best Mixed

4751—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above seven zinnias, value \$1.55 for only

4315 David Burpee Zinnias Strikingly different; medium large, with petals attractively curled and quilled backwards so that only the colorful upper side is exposed. Another outstanding feature is the unusual range of colors; pastel shades predominate, lovely tones of apricot, soft cream, chamois, buff, terra-cotta, burnt orange, soft rose, and peach. Some flowers are of solid colors while others are combinations of two and three colors. Most desirable for garden and unsurpassed for cutting. Leaves of some are curled and twisted—such plants often produce the curliest blooms. 3 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ 80z. 75¢; ½ 0z. \$1.25

4317 Fantasy Mixed Colors All-America Silver Medal Winner, Shaggy double, miniature cactus dahlia-like flowers, 3 to 3½ in. across, composed of a mass of twisted, tubular petals in an unusual range of pretty colors. Very profuse blooming. Grow 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; ¼ oz. \$1.10

4424 New Century Mixed Flowers are large, up to 6 in, across, somewhat like the Dahlia Flowered in appearance, but more loosely arranged and quite artistic. Colors include orange, salmon, yellow and shades of rose. Very robust plants bloom freely. Showy in the garden; lovely for cutting. The plants are  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt. (50 seeds) 25e;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00

4306 Ortho-Polka Mixed Colors Much like the Pepper-4306 **Urtho-Polka Wixed Culors** Much like the reppermint Stick zinnias but flowers are much larger, 3 to 3½ in. across. Most of the blooms are interestingly striped in varied color patterns, red and white, scarlet and yellow, rose and white, orange and yellow. Profuse throughout the season. The plants grow 2 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

4294 Burpee's Best All-Giant Zinnias Balanced blend of very best colors of Burpee Giant Hybrids, Super Giants, Luther Burbank, Giants of California and Dahlia Flowered all in one bag.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

# Giants of California

3523 Giants of California Zinnia, Enchantress Pht. 25¢

#### Best Five Giants of California Zinnias

Enchantress, Golden Queen, Lavender Gem, **Purity and Scarlet King** 

4701 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only

Immense double flowers, 5 to 6 in. across, of a dis-Thinnense double flowers, 5 to 6 in. across, of a distinctive shape that is most graceful and desirable. The overlapping petals are more loosely placed than in the dahlia flowered type of zinnia, and the flowers themselves are more flattened, being only about 1 in. in depth. Plants are vigorous, well-branched, grow about 3 ft. tall and produce many long, strong flower stems each crowned with a beautiful flower.

**Zinnias** 

3524 Daffodil Distinct shade of bright canary or daffedil-yellow that is extremely popular for cutting.

3523 Enchantress Light rose with dark rose center. A truly enchanting two-toned color combination.

3556 Golden Queen or Lemon Queen Soft lemon-yellow with a distinct golden yellow suffusion.

3502 Lavender Gem Deep lavender, turning to a warm purple as the flower matures. A rare shade.

3533 Purity Outstanding for its pure white color.

3552 Rose Queen Clear rose-pink of great beauty. Popular shade for garden decoration and cut flowers.

3554 Salmon Queen Salmon-rose flowers of a most delightful color for cutting and garden.

3553 Scarlet King Glowing scarlet; much desired.

3547 Violet Queen Wonderful shade of purple.

4319 Pastel Shades Mixed Prepared from the most beautiful shades of pink, yellow, and lavender, with sufficient white to effect a perfect color harmony.

**4312 All Colors Mixed** This mixture has been most carefully blended from above named varieties to insure a well-balanced display for garden and cutting.

Any of the above Giants of California Zinnias: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

Luther Burbank Zinnias

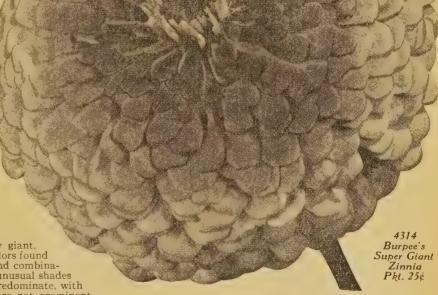
4313 Luther Burbank Zinnias are a rare blend of lovely, delicate pastel or art shades comprised of many self colors ranging from cream and primrose through delicate buffyellow, canary yellow, ivory, soft salmon, warm rose, chamois, apricot, peach, blush pink, salmon-pink to clear, bright rose. There are also unusual two- and three-color combinations of soft and light shades in some of the individual blooms. When an occasional pale lavender or light orange appears, it is always a tone that blends well with the others.

Flowers are deep, 5 to 5½ in. across, larger than dahlia flowered and are composed of numerous big, flat petals curled under at the ends. Plants are strong growing, 3 to 4 ft. tall, well-branched so that an abundance of longstemmed giant flowers is assured for cutting.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

# **Burpee's Super Giant Zinnias**

4314 Burpee's Super Giant Zinnias are truly giant 4314 Burpee's Super Giant Zinnias are truly giant, growing 5½ to 6 in. across, in a full range of all colors found in zinnias including some of the loveliest colors and combinations of colors ever seen in this flower. Rare and unusual shades of cream, buff, apricot, salmon, rose and orange predominate, with a few yellows and whites; scarlet and crimson are not prominent, though there are some very attractive flowers in these colors. One is impressed by the many two-tone and three-tone color effects seen in some of the blooms. Diversity of petal and flower form, together with a most amazing assortment of solid colors and color combinations, makes Burpee's Super Giants a most delightful blend of zinnias for garden, cutting and exhibition purposes. Strong plants 3 ft. tall, Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$1.25;



Luther Burbank Zinnias, Burpee's Super Giants and the Burpee Giant Hybrid Zimnias, the very best in big zinnias, were perfected by Burpee on Burpee's Floradale Seed Farms in California.

# 3561 Cut and Come Again Zinnia, Tangerine Pkt. 15¢

# **Cut and Come Again Zinnias**

Fully double, well-rounded flowers, about 2½ in, across, are freely produced on long stems; ideal for cutting, especially where the largest blooms are not wanted. The compact. branching plants, which in an average soil grow 11/2 ft. tall, keep on blooming from early midsummer until frost, making an attractive display in beds or borders.

3515 Crimson Beauty Bright and cheerful crimson. 3565 Bright Scarlet Vivid and intense scarlet. A nice all-purpose white.

4338 Pink Beauty Charming shade of pink.

4329 Salmon Rose Lovely shade for cutting. 3562 Canary Yellow Beautiful form and color.

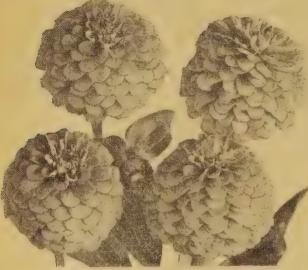
**3561 Tangerine** Entirely new color—bright, lively orange with reddish orange tinge creating a vivacious, fiery orange effect. A shade which blends well with other colors.

4298 Mixed Colors The above and others in a wide range of colors.

Any of the above Cut and Come Again Zinnias: Pkt. 15¢; 1/8 oz. 45¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢

4284 **Special Mixture** Choice blend of Pink Beauty, Salmon Rose, Bright Scarlet, Tangerine, White and Canary Yellow. All the dark shades have been omitted.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



3535 Cupid Zinnia, Tiny Tim Pkt. 25¢

# Little Cupid Zinnias

Compact plants, 1 ft. tall, produce a large number of slender branches, each bearing a small double flower which hardly exceeds 1 in. in diameter. For borders and cutting.

3551 Goblin Bronzy orange. 3535 Tiny Tim Scarlet.

3532 Snowdrop Pure white. 3546 Pixie Yellow.

4322 Burpee's Best Mixed Carefully blended mixture of the above four most popular varieties and others.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. 75¢; 1/4 oz. \$1.25

#### Four Delightful Cupid Zinnias

4758 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above four named cupid zinnias, 4 pkts. in all, value \$1.00 for only **85**¢

#### Six Cut and Come Again Zinnias

Pink Beauty, Salmon Rose, Bright Scarlet, Tangerine, White and Canary Yellow

4703 — **SPECIAL:** One pkt. each of these six separate and beautiful colors of medium-size zinnias, 6 pkts. in all, value 90¢ for only **75**¢

#### **Burpee's Best Dwarf Zinnias**

3564 **Special Mixture** Ideal for edgings and low borders where the larger flowered zinnias are too tall. Valuable for cutting especially where medium to small sized blooms are preferred. Included are the tiny cupids, little pompons, miniatures, medium sized cut and come agains, and others for a grand showing. 1 to 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



4335 Mexican Zinnia Pkt. 256

#### Mexican or Miniature Zinnias

4335 Double Mixed, All Colors Most charming double and semi-double blooms in a remarkable range of color blends and combinations. Rich in shades blends and combinations. Rich in shades of yellow, orange, red, maroon, mahogany, some bordered and tipped creamy white or gold. Small, colorful blooms 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, are produced freely throughout the summer and fall. The plants grow 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

#### Navajo Zinnias

4336 Mixed Colors All-America Winner. Flowers are of medium size, double or semi-double, and composed of long, narrow petals, each heavily tipped white, creamy white or creamy yellow. Colors run through lilac, crim-

son, orange, yellow, pink and other pastel shades. The bicolored blooms remind one of the colorings to be seen in a Navajo rug. Grow 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

# Lilliput, Baby or Pompon Zinnias

The small, pompon-like flowers of lilliput zinnias are most appealing. Plants are dwarf, bushy and branching, 12 to 18 in. tall, and literally covered with double blooms, 1 to 1½ in. across from early summer until frost. Especially nice as edgings to taller zinnias or other plants. taller zinnias or other plants.

#### Six Lilliput Zinnias

Golden Gem, Lilac Gem, Rose Gem, Scarlet Gem,

White Gem and Canary Yellow

4757—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six varieties, 6 pkts. in all, value 90¢ for only 75¢

3545 Black Ruby All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Blackish maroon. 2 ft.

3548 Golden Gem Golden orange.

3522 Lilac Gem Distinct lavender-lilac.

3541 Peach Blossom Soft light pink.

4308 Rose Gem Deep clear rose-pink.

3544 Scarlet Gem Bright fiery scarlet.

3543 White Gem Lovely pure white.

3542 Canary Yellow Clear yellow.

4303 **Mixed Colors** Well-balanced blend of all colors from white to darkest maroon. The little double flowers are very showy in the garden and equally so when used for cutting.

Any of the above Lilliput Zinnias: Pkt. 15%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 50%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. 95%



# Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias

Dahlia flowered zinnias are outstanding both for the exquisite form of their long-stemmed flowers, which resemble giant dahlias, and for the lovely shades included in their range of color. They grow about 5 in. across and 2 in. and more in depth. The well-branched sturdy plants grow 3 ft, high and bloom most profusely over a long period. Showy in the garden; wonderful for cutting as flowers have remarkable keeping qualities.

**4295 Canary Bird** A most pleasing shade of primrose-yellow which combines well with the deep lavender shade of Dream or the deep, rich tone of Royal Purple.

3555 Dream An unusual tone of deep lavender turning to mallow-purple as the flowers age, a rather rare shade in zinnias.

4316 Exquisite Light rose with deeper rose center, creating a most pleasing two-toned color effect which is lovely for cutting.

3531 Illumination Enormous flowers of deep tyrian rose—a real beauty, whether seen in the garden or as cut flowers.

**4337 Oriole** Attractive two-toned flowers—golden orange outer petals in contrast to a reddish orange center. Pretty blending.

3563 **Pastel Shades** The most lovely pinks, yellows and lavenders, in addition to white, are blended to give a colorful display for garden and cutting. All dark colors have been omitted from this mixture.

**4321 Polar Bear** Best of all white zinnias; flowers are borne on long stems. Nice alone or a good mixer with the others.

4311 Royal Purple All-America Winner. Distinct color in this class—a deep, rich royal purple without any hint of blue.

4328 Salmon King Strikingly beautiful, large, rounded flowers of a lovely salmon-rose so desirable for garden and cutting.

4332 Will Rogers Loveliest and most

assa will Rogers Lovenest and most brilliant scarlet-red which glistens in the sun with dazzling beauty. Flowers grow larger than other dahlia flowered zinnias, fully double and borne profusely on long, strong stems. Makes a grand showing in the garden, wonderful for exhibition and of great appeal for cutting.

Any of the above Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias: Pkt. 20e;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 60e;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.10;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.00

#### Best Five Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnias

Canary Bird, Exquisite, Polar Bear, Salmon King and Will Rogers

4754 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these five separate varieties, from white to vivid scarlet-red, 75¢ 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.00 for only

4327 Giant Dahlia Flowered Zinnia, Burpee's Best Mixed Pkt, 35¢ 4327 Burpee's Best Mixed Immense flowers in a specially

prepared mixture of the best colors to be had in giant dahlia flowered zinnias. In this extra choice blend are self or solid colors, as well as impressive bi-colors and two-tone blooms. Sure to attract attention in the garden or when used as cut flowers.

Pkt. 35¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25; ¼4 oz. \$2.25

4324 All Colors Mixed Well-balanced mixture of every color known in giant dahlia flowered zinnias that have been blended for a glorious garden display; for cutting you will have quantities of long-stemmed giant flowers, the petals of which are slightly cupped and overlay one another in regular manner. Good for all purposes.

Pkt.  $20\,e'$ ; 1/8 oz.  $60\,e'$ ; 1/4 oz. \$1.10; 1/2 oz. \$2.00

4307 Crown of Gold Mixed The large flowers come in a most singular color range—burnished red, yellow, old rose, cream and carmine; each petal overlaid deep golden yellow at the base while carrying out the individual flower color over the balance of the petal surface. Superb for garden and highly prized for cutting. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.35

#### Persian Carpet Zinnias

4326 **Mixed Colors** All-America Winner. Attractive, miniature flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, in a nice color range, the pointed petals tipped or bordered with a pleasing contrasting shade. A bed or border of these dwarf plants covered with their showy flowers produces a gorgeous display. Long lasting. 1 ft. Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

#### **Peppermint Stick Zinnias**

4264 Mixed Colors Something different in zinnias—the majority of the flowers are striped in various combinations, such as red and white, red and yellow, purple and white, orange and yellow, etc. Blooms, some of which are mottled, grow from 1½ to 2 in. across. Plants 2 ft. tall are very profuse flowering.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85 Plants 2 ft. tall are very profuse flowering.

For a larger flowered "Peppermint Stick" zinnia, see Ortho-Polka, page 48.

#### Zinnia linearis

3537 Plants grow 1 ft. high and are covered with deep orange-yellow single flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, each petal having a narrow light yellow stripe down the center. Well-branched plants with narrow, pointed leaves. Early bloomer. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

#### Giant Zinnias and Marigolds Mixed

4238 One of the loveliest garden combinations you have ever seen; also desirable mixed as cut flowers. Best varieties of each. 2 to 3 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25 as cut flowers. Best varieties of each. 2 to 3 ft.



Burpee Seeds are Guaranteed

# House Plants from Seed



3577 African Violet, (Saintpaulia) Blue Fairy Tale Pkt. \$1.00

#### AFRICAN VIOLET (Saintpaulia)

Of all the plants that are grown by the amateur for house decoration, the most popular is the African Violet. It grows with a minimum of care, in full light but not strong sunlight: African violets do well in windows on the east and north. The best plants are usually grown at 70 to 72 degrees in an atmosphere that is not too dry. Watering the plants is best done from below, preferably in the morning. Always use water of room temperature.

3577 Blue Fairy Tale A new F<sub>1</sub> first generation hybrid that has won a gold and two silver medals. The flowers are large, rich ultramarine-blue in striking contrast to the bright yellow stamens. Under good conditions, plants start to flower in 6 months from seed and in 10 or 12 months should bear many more blooms. Leaves are dark green.

Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.90; 3 pkts. \$2.70

3578 longntha grandiflora Large flowers of deep violet-blue cover the plants when they are fully grown. This is a most popular variety known as the Usambra violet.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 3 pkts. \$1.95



3077 Begonia, Double Mixed Pkt. \$1.00

#### 3067 Asparagus Fern, Sprengeri Pkt. 35¢

# ASPARAGUS — Asparagus Fern

Useful as a pot plant the year 'round and for cutting to mix as "greens" among flowers, Plants are hardy where winters are mild. Grows freely with minimum care.

3035 Plumosus nanus Finely divided, rich deep green, lace-like foliage. Upright grower. Good lasting quality when cut.

3067 Sprengeri (Emerald Feather) Magnificent trailing ornamental plants with needle-like leaves on long branches; fine for hanging baskets, window boxes, vases, pot plants, etc. It bears small rose flowers.

Either variety of Asparagus:
Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

# **BEGONIAS**

#### **TUBEROUS ROOTED**

Unrivaled summer bedding plants; charmng pot plants for many months of the year. Blooms 4 in. or more across in a wide range of colors—pink, rose, salmon, orange, crimson, and yellow; also white. Some with attractive contrasting edge. Prefer a semishaded location if planted outdoors. 1 ft.

3069 Single, Mixed Colors Magnificent strain; seed from the largest single flowers of the best colors and combinations.

Pkt. 75¢; ½28 oz. \$3.00

3077 Double, Mixed Colors Wonderful assortment of extremely rich colors; large double flowers of the greatest beauty.

Pkt. \$1.00; ½128 oz. \$4.00

Begonia bulbs, page 114.

Potted plants are always attractive in the home. They are lovely on the porch or in window boxes during the summer, and particularly desirable indoors during the winter months. All seeds offered here are eaisly grown into plants in a living room window, greenhouse or conservatory, where light and heat conditions are satisfactory. Seeds may be sown any time of the year in seed-pans or shallow boxes. Full directions for planting are given on every seed packet.



3062 Calceolaria, Mixed Colors Pkt. \$1.00

#### CALCEOLARIA—Pouch Flower

3062 Mixed Colors Attractive, free-blooming house plants with peculiar pouch-like flowers of various colors. Many are attractively blotched, spotted and laced. Likes a semi-shaded location in a cool room. Plants grow to a height of 1½ ft.
Pkt. \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.85; 1/64 oz. \$3.50



3107 Cineraria, Giant Exhibition Mixed Pkt. 75¢

#### CINERARIA

Splendid plants for winter and spring house decoration. Wide clusters of brilliantly colored blossoms rich in shades of blue, carmine, pink, white, etc.; many combinations. Do best in a cool room and partial shade.

3107 Giant Exhibition Mixed Beautifu self-colors, and many with contrasting, pure white centers or clearly defined margins and rings of various shades. Flowers are very large, 3½ in. across. 16 in. tall. Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.25; ½28 oz. \$2.50

3108 Large Flowered Dwarf Mixed Large blooms in many colors on compact, showy plants that grow about 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½128 oz. \$1.35



4342 Cyclamen, Giant Mixed Pkt. 50¢

#### CYCLAMEN

**4342 Indicum Giant Mixed** Large, fragrant blooms on strong, erect stems well above the ornamental foliage. It takes 16 to 18 months to produce blooming plants from seed. They make most attractive pot plants for the home if grown under cool conditions. Pkt. (10 seeds) 50¢; 100 seeds \$3.25

#### CACTUS FROM SEED

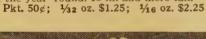
3063 Mixed Varieties Choice assortment of the most attractive, easily and quickly grown cacti. Make interesting potplants. Require little care or attention once the seeds have germinated; some are slow.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 90¢; ½ oz. \$2.25

#### GERANIUM

4343 Floradale Fancy Mixed Enormous flower heads in many colors. Very easily grown from seed: Make excellent house plants as they can be had in bloom almost all the year 'round. 18 in. and more tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/32 oz. \$1.25; 1/16 oz. \$2.25





4107 Impatiens Holsti Hybrids Pkt. 35¢

#### IMPATIENS—Sultan's Balsam

4107 Holsti Hybrids Wide range of exquisite colors in mixture. Blooms all the year 'round in pots or may be grown outdoors in semi-shade during the summer where it flowers continuously from midsummer until frost. Grow 1 to 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; 1/32,0z. \$1.50; 1/16 oz. \$2.50



4112 Lantana, Dwarf Hybrids Pkt. 30¢

#### LANTANA

4112 Dwarf Hybrids, Finest Mixed Heads of verbena-like flowers in shades of yellow, orange, red and pink from midsummer until frost. May be grown in pots the year 'round or outdoors in the garden during the summer. Average height, 1½ ft. Pkt. 30¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

# House Plants, from Seed, continued



4388 Gloxinia, Buell's Giant Hybrids

#### GLOXINIA, GIANT FLOWERED

4388 Buell's Giant Hybrids Mixed An exceptionally free-flowering, long-blooming strain that provides all the colors found in gloxinias in more than 50 distinctly different, beautiful color combinations and dramatic effects never before available in this lovely house plant. Symmetrical, well shaped plants with velvety, heavily veined leaves that enhance the striking color of many erect bell-like blooms. Buell's strain, the result of years of hybridization, is the very finest yet offered. Succeeds in semi-shade. I ft, tall. Originator's packet (200 seeds) \$1.00; 2 pkts. \$1.95

3154 Giant Flowered Mixed Inverted bell-shaped flowers in white, blue, rose, purple, and red shades, many self-colored, others spotted or mottled. Grows 10 to 12 in. tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½128 oz. \$2.25



3163 Gerbera, Jamesoni Hybrids

#### GERBERA — Transvaal Daisy

3163 Jamesoni Hybrids Large, attractive, daisy-like blooms in a wide range of shades of yellow, orange, white, scarlet, crimson, pink, etc. Prized for cutting. May be grown indoors as a winter house plant, outdoors during the summer. Hardy in frost-free locations. Grow 1 to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. (25 seeds) 30¢; 100 seeds 95¢

#### LOBELIA

Useful, easily grown plants covered with flowers throughout the season. The trailing varieties listed below, may be used for flower boxes, happing baskets and pots. Do will in partial about the right program of the p well in partial shade either indoors or out.

**3196 Hamburgia** (*Trailing*) Graceful long branches covered with lovely sky-blue flowers with a white eye. Most exquisite.

3208 Sapphire (Trailing) Large, deep blue flowers with a showy pure white eye. Either variety of Lobelia:

Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.60

#### **SMILAX**

3411 Attractive, fast-growing vine with dark green, glossy, myrtle-like leaves. Very decorative and easy to grow house plant.

Pkt. 35¢; ¼ oz. \$1.35



Primula sinensis fimbriata 3283 Finest Mixed Pkt. 50¢

#### PRIMULA—Primrose

Particularly desirable as potted plants for the home. Easily grown where light and heat conditions are satisfactory. 10 in. tall.

#### Sinensis fimbriata

3283 Finest Mixed Clusters of large, beautifully colored, fringed flowers in lovely contrast to the deep green leaves of the plants. Mixture includes blue, white, red, rose, crimson, etc. Popular house plants.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

Obconica gigantea

3276 Choicest Mixed Individual flowers 3276 Choicest mixed individual nowers are extra large, of fine form and texture, and freely borne in immense clusters for a long time. Colors and shades not seen in usual mixtures will be found in this assortment—pink, red, salmon, white, etc.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35

#### Obconica grandiflora

3277 Mixed Colors All the most desirable colors in mixture. Flowers not so large as those of the gigantea type, but usually produced more profusely and for a longer period. Showy plant for indoor culture.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 75¢; 3 pkts. \$1.00

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# BURPEE PERENNIAL FLOWER SEEDS









Achillea 4602 The Pearl Pkt. 25¢

Alyssum Anchusa Armeria 4605 Saxatile compactum Pkt. 20¢ 3774 Myosotidiflora Pkt. 35¢ 3776 Sutton's Giant Pink Pkt. 35¢

Perennial flowers are the hardy, permanent ones that live for years. Plants grow to the flowering stage each year and die down again to the roots, which remain alive but dormant until the next season. Some perennials will flower the first year from seed if it is sown early, although two seasons are usually required before the plants produce their blooms. Sow seeds early so that you will have stronger plants

to go through the winter and give more bloom the next spring and summer. Cultural directions are given on every bag. With the perennials we have

included the best of the biennials, seed of which is sown one year, the plants blooming the second season, after which they die.



3753 Anthemis, Kelwayi Yellow Pkt. 256

#### ACHILLEA - Milfoil

4602 The Pearl Hundreds of clusters of small, double white pompon chrysanthe-mum-like flowers, from June to September. e in borders and fine for cutting. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

#### ANTHEMIS - Golden Daisy

3753 Kelwayi Yellow Pure golden yellow daisy-like flowers are freely produced on long stems from July until frost. Flowers have a slight aromatic odor. A nice cutting flower succeeding in dry or sandy soil. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25



3752 Arabis alpina Pkt. 25¢

#### AGROSTEMMA (Lychnis)

3821 Coronaria, Mixed Silvery white and violet flowers from June to September. Fine for cutting and borders. 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

#### ARABIS - Rock Cress

Showy dwarf, spreading border and rock garden plants, 8 to 12 in. tall. Succeed in any good, well-drained soil and a sunny location. A mass of bloom in early spring. Flowers last quite some time when cut.

3752 Alpina Pure white flowers are produced in great profusion during April.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

3755 Alpina rosea Masses of light pink wers are freely borne in May. Exquisite.
Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25



3775 Aster subcoeruleus Pkt. 35¢

# ALYSSUM -- Gold Dust

Charming, attractive dwarf early blooming plants for rock gardens and borders that do very well in dry or sandy soil.

3754 Argenteum Stocky, bushy plants, 15 in. tall, with bright yellow flowers borne in clusters all through the summer.

Pkt. 20¢; 1/16 oz. 75¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.25

4605 Saxatile compactum (Basket of Gold) Dense heads of brilliant golden yellow flowers are borne so profusely in early spring as to hide the plants. 9 to 12 in. Pkt. 20¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25

3763 Rare Species Mixed Choice asover a long period in early spring.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85

#### ARMERIA - Sea Pink

Attractive plants of dwarf, tufted growth above which rise many stiff, wiry stems topped with a dense, globe-shaped flower. Useful in rock garden, edgings and border; fine for cutting. May and June. Do best in a dry, sandy soil and a sunny position.

3805 Formosa Hybrids Large flowers in to lightest shades of pink, rose, coral and light tones of red. Grow 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.40

3771 Laucheana Bright rosy red flowers are freely produced on plants 6 in. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.40

3776 Sutton's Giant Pink Clear rosepink flowers, 2 in. across, are freely borne on straight, strong stems, 1 to 1½ ft. long above the low-growing, mat-like plants.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ 6 oz. \$1.03; ½ 0z. \$1.75



Anemone coronaria 3795 St. Brigid Pkt. 25¢

#### ANCHUSA — Alkanet

3833 Italica Dropmore Large blue forgetme-not-like flowers in great profusion in June and July. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50

3774 Myosotidiflora A distinct, dwarf species covered with bright blue forget-menot-like flowers during April and May. 1 ft. Commonly cultivated as Anchusa myosotidiflora although it is Brunnerc macrophilla botanically. Lovely border plant.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½ oz. \$2.00

#### ANEMONE - Windflower

3795 Coronaria, St. Brigid Extrachoice mixture of double and semi-double blooms in a wonderful array of rich and brilliant colors. Bloom during May and June. Equally fine for pot culture, borders, rock garden and cutting. Not reliably hardy north of Washington, D. C. Plants grow 1 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.00; 1/8 oz. \$1.85

Anemone Bulbs, page 118

#### HARDY ASTERS

Alpinus and Subcoeruleus are especially valuable for rock gardens or borders; both are easily grown and make a grand show. Subcoeruleus is valuable for cutting.

3772 Alpinus Mixed Colors Large, single flowers in white and shades of blue; golden centers. May and June. 6 to 10 in. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3775 Subcoeruleus Bluish violet, orangeyellow centered, daisy-like flowers, 3 in. across, during June and July. 15 in. Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

#### HARDY GARDEN CARNATIONS

Who does not love the delightful, spicy fragrance of carnations? They are ideal for cutting and excellent for beds, borders, wide edgings, rock gardens or pots. All do best in well-drained soil, rich in lime, and a sunny exposure. If seed is sown early, many plants will bloom the same season. It is advisable to cut off all flowering stalks soon after blooming to prevent plants from becoming straggly. Plants, especially Chabaud's Giant Improved and Burpee's Super Giants, may be lifted in the fall, cut back and potted up for indoor winter flowering where light and heat conditions are satisfactory for their culture.

#### Chabaud's Giant

Clove-scented, deeply fringed, large, double blooms, 2 in. and more across, may be had in 5 or 6 months from the time the seed is sown. Flowers are borne on sturdy stems 15 to 18 in. long. Vigorous, 1½ to 2 ft. tall.

3808 Crimson Rich, velvety crimson.

3807 Flesh Pink Soft, light shell-pink.

3819 Salmon Pink Exquisite pink shade.

3798 Cardinal Red Intense lively color.

3799 Deep Rose Delightful warm rose.

3797 White Pure glistening white.

3806 Deep Yellow Showy and distinct. 4614 All Colors Mixed A colorful blend

of all the above and some variegated ones. Any of the above Chabaud's Giants: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. 60%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.10

#### Giant Enfant de Nice

3812 Mixed Colors A very select French hybrid strain producing strong plants of erect habit, with large, full double, sweet-scented, fringed flowers,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. and more across. Included are red, rose, salmon, white and other extra choice colors in this grand mixture. Best treated as a biennial. Upright, sturdy plants grow 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85

3824 Large Double, All Colors Mixed Large double flowers,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, in a wide assortment of many pretty colors and a pronounced spicy fragrance. Plants are very hardy, 1½ ft. in height.

3751 Hardy Border Double, Mixed Showy double flowers in many self, striped and fancy colors. Makes a fine showing in perennial borders, edgings or beds over a long period. Prized for cutting. 2 ft. tall.

3785 Early Dwarf Vienna, Mixed Very double blooms in a full range of colors are freely borne on stiff upright stems very early in the season. Dwarf plants, 1 ft. tall.

Any of the above Carnation mixtures: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. 85¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.60

#### **Riviera Giants**

3803 All Colors Mixed Immense double flowers in a wide range of rich and varied colors as well as unusual color combinations—dainty tones of cream, salmon and orange-buff; odd smoky tones, lavender, purple, garnet and cherry, as well as many bicolor, striped and speckled forms. The giant blooms are freely produced on stiff, erect stems 1 ½ ft. long over a long period. Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85



Perennial Glowers

3814 Carnation, Red Wonder Pkt. 40¢

#### **Burpee's Super Giants**

Huge, fully double, heavily fringed flowers, 3 in. across, are produced most freely on sturdy, upright stems 18 to 20 in. long. Best treated as a biennial outdoors.

3814 Red Wonder. 3802 Scarlet Wonder.. 3801 White Wonder... 3809 Yellow Wonder...

or mixture: Pkt. 40¢; ½16 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

Any of these

separate colors

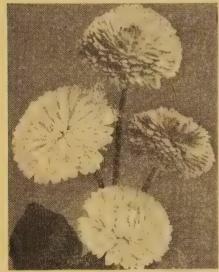
4623 Mixed Colors....

4785 -SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the above four separate colors, 4 pkts. in all, \$1.25

#### AUBRIETA — Rainbow Rock Cress

3773 Large Flowering Hybrids One of the very finest dwarf, spreading plants for borders, rock gardens and dry walls. Masses of rosy purple, blue, and lilac blooms are produced during April and May. Aubrieta will succeed in semi-shade. 6 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85



4607 Bellis perennis, Mixed Pkt. 35¢

#### **BELLIS PERENNIS**

#### Giant Double English Daisy

Splendid dwarf, early-flowering biennials for beds, borders and rock gardens. For the best flowers, sow seed each year and treat as an annual. Prefers moist, well-drained soil and partial shade. Often last for more than two years, and where summers are cool the plants will bloom until fall. 6 in.

3777 Dark Red Rich and colorful.

3789 Dark Rose Most popular shade.

3779 White Nice with the others.

4607 Mixed Colors White and various shades of rose and red in a nice mixture.

Any of the above:

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$2.00; ½ oz. \$3.50

# CAMPANULAS—Canterbury Bells—Bellflowers

#### **Biennial Canterbury Bells**

Most useful, beautiful easily grown subjects for the garden. Plants of biennial varieties bloom the second year from seed, then die.

#### Single Canterbury Bells

Pyramidal plants, 2 to 3 ft. tall, covered in June with large, bell-like blooms with edges softly rolled back and attractively fluted.

Sortry	Toned back and	attractively muted
3765	Dark Blue	\ Any of these
3778	Light Blue	separate color.
3781	Rose	or mixture: Pkt. 25¢;
3794	White	1/8 oz. 75¢;
4609	Mixed Colors	1/4 oz. \$1.25

#### **Cup-and-Saucer Canterbury Bells**

The lovely blooms have an unusual formation that may be likened to a saucer under a cup. Plants bloom in June. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

3787	Dark Blue	Any of these
3788	Light Blue	separate color
3782	Rose	or mixture: Pkt, 25¢;
3786	White	1/8 oz. 75¢;
	Mixed Colors	1/4 oz. \$1.25



3794 Single White Canterbury Bells Pkt. 25¢

#### **Double Canterbury Bells**

4601 Mixed Colors The plants are completely covered with double blooms in white, blue and rose, during June. 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft, high. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

#### Perennial Campanulas

Of easy culture. Plants last for years with little care or attention; for the most flowers, however, it is advisable to lift plants and divide them every second year.

3784 Carpatica Blue Little, blue, cupshaped flowers, 1 in. across, on 12 in. stems. Nice in rock gardens. July to September.

3796 Carpatica White Just like Carpatica Blue except that flowers are white.

3825 Lactiflora Extremely showy plants, bearing profusely in July and August, large, loose heads of flowers varying in color from lilac to lavender-blue. Grow 2 to 4 ft. tall.

3791 Pyramidalis Blue (Chimney Bell-flower) Small, lavender-blue, star-shaped flowers during August and September. Excellent for backgrounds. 4 to 5 ft. high.

Any of the above perennial Campanulas: Pkt.  $25 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.85

3792 Persicifolia alba (White Peach Bells) Large, handsome, white, bell-shaped flowers, about 1½ in. long, in showy terminal clusters during June and July. Persicifolia means peach-like leaves, hence the common name of Peach Bells. Valuable for border planting and cutting. 2 to 2½ ft.

3757 Persicifolia Blue (Blue Peach Bells) An excellent companion to the Persicifolia alba. Similar to it except the flowers are of a handsome bright blue shade. 2 to 2½ ft.

4616 Persicifolia Mixed Blue and white "Peach Bells" mixed. Nice for cutting and hardy border decoration. 2 to 2½ ft. high.

Any of the above perennial Campanulas: Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

All Flower Seeds are Postpaid 55



4604 Columbine, McKana's Giant Pkt. 50¢

# **COLUMBINE**—Aquilegia

Beautiful spring-blooming plants of airy habit; prized for the border and cutting. Do well in any good, well-drained soil in sun or partial shade.

3756 Red Riding Hood Flowers are composed of an old-rose calyx and a pure white double corolla at the base of which the rose coloring shows through most pleasingly. The spurs are so short that they are practically hidden under the flower. Profuse bloomer. Grows 2 to 2½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50;

#### Long Spurred Columbines

Large, attractively formed flowers with broad petals and beautiful long spurs; most popular group of columbines.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft., except where noted.

4603 Burpee's Best Mixture Select assortment of choice colors and color combinations. Flowers are extra large with broad overlapping sepals which gives the flower a round appearance rather than the 5-petaled effect seen in McKana's Giants. The petals stand out in bold contrast to the long, narrow spurs. Makes striking display, somewhat earlier blooming than the others.

Pkt. 40¢; ½16 oz. \$1.60; ½8 oz. \$2.75

3764 Mrs. Scott Elliott Strain Marvelous array of splendid colors, ranging through shades of lavender, orchid, mauve, blue, purple, yellow

pink, red, etc. Many flowers per plant with spurs of some slightly incurved to flared. Quite a number of flowers are to be had with more than one color Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.50

4604 McKana's Giant, All Colors 4604 McKana's Giant, All Colors Mixed All-America Bronze Medal Winner. The flowers of this outstanding strain of columbine will average 4 in. across, some larger, with spurs 3 to 4 in. long and widely flared. The extremely large yet graceful blooms come in a pleasing color range including blue, pink, maroon, purple, red, deep yellow, primrose-yellow and showy combinations of different colors. Strong, free blooming plants 2½ to 3 ft. tall. One of the few perennials that can be grown from seed to win an All-America award.

Pkt. 50¢; ½16 oz. \$1.75; ½ oz. \$3.25

3762 Blue Shades Vary from light blue, mid-blue, deep blue to the darkest purple. Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.50; ⅓ oz. \$2.50

3761 Crimson Star Rich crimson sepals and spurs, in wonderful contrast to the white petals. Showy and effective. 1½ ft. Pkt. 35¢; ¼6 oz. \$1.50; ¼ oz. \$2.50

3766 Longissima Bright canary-yellow flowers with the longest spurs, which usually attain a length of 4 in., although we have seen many that were 6 in. long. Superb.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½6 oz. \$2.75

3767 Pink Beauty Sepals and spurs are a beautiful, refined shade of soft pink in lovely contrast to the cream-colored corolla.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

3768 Snow Queen Pure glistening white, with a very delicate pink flushing often appearing on spurs and reverse of sepals.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

4606 All Colors Mixed Rich in the more brilliant shades of red, pink, blue, white, yellow, etc.; many two-tone combinations. Pkt. 35¢; ½16 oz. \$1.50; ½8 oz. \$2.50



4619 Cerastium omentosum Pkt. 25¢

3816 Cheiranthus, Golden Bedder Pkt. 25¢



4649 Chinese Lanterns Pkt. 25&

#### CERASTIUM — Snow-in-Summer

4619 Tomentosum A creeping, mat-like plant with silvery white woolly foliage and masses of pure white, star-shaped flowers during May and June. Valuable for rock gardens, borders, or for carpeting dry, sunny spots. Does well in any soil. When in full bloom, the plants appear as if covered with stary. ed with snow. They grow about 6 in. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### **CENTAUREA**—Hardy Cornflower

3813 Montana Lovely, clear, deep blue flowers somewhat resembling the annual single blue cornflowers, but grow much larger, often 3 in. across. A source of cut flowers from June until September. 2 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 65¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.25

#### CHRYSANTHEMUM

4613 Korean Hybrids Gorgeous single, semi-double and double flowers in a wide range of colors. Bloom in September and continue until frost. Flower the first year if sown early. Prized for cutting. 2 to 2½ ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½16 oz. \$2.00



4613 Chrysanthemum, Korean Hybrids Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢

#### **CHINESE LANTERNS**

Physalis francheti

4649 Largely grown for their vividly colored, orange-red, lantern-shaped fruits which, when cut and dried, are widely used for winter bouquets. Do well in a sunny situation in any ordinary garden soil. The bright red lanterns are ready in the late summer of the second year from sowing of seed. When cut, they will keep for weeks. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

Siberian Wallflower

CHEIRANTHUS

3816 Golden Bedder Large golden yellow, sweet-scented flowers. Plants usually produce 10 to 15 spikes. 12 to 18 in. high. Best grown as a biennial. Highly esteemed for the delicious fragrance of their flowers which are often produced the first year from seed if it is sown early. Blooms most profusely during May and June. Prized for cutting, rock gardens and borders. Does well in any good, well-drained garden soil.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.30

Average heights and blooming season are given in the descriptions. Some variation is natural in different localities.

# **DELPHINIUMS**—Hardy Larkspur

Delphiniums are among the most beautiful and most widely used perennials for garden display and cutting. The regal stateliness of their massive, colorful spikes is unequalled by any other flower. They are of easy culture, succeeding best in deep, rich, well-drained soil. Bloom in June, and if spikes are not allowed to go to seed, new growth will be produced—usually three crops are had in one season. Flowers the first year if sown early.

3815 Belladonna Improved Large, single flowers of an exquisite shade of turquoise-blue loosely arranged on tall, slender spikes. Highly prized for cutting. 3 to 4 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.60

3836 Bellamosum Improved Deep gentian-blue single flowers loosely placed on strong, graceful spikes. 3 to 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. 85¢; ⅓ oz. \$1.60

3823 Burpee Mammoth, Mixed Colors Colors range from azure-blue to deepest purple, mauve-pink to rosy lavender, with many opaline variations. Double, semi-double and single flowers of immense size are freely produced on solid, erect spikes of great rigidity. 4 to 6 ft. high.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.75

3841 Giant Hollyhock Flowered (Wrexham) The stately plants, with their large single, semi-double and double blooms, closely set together, form beautiful spire-like spikes not unlike those of hollyhocks. All shades of blue from the palest to deepest indigo, with many intermediary pastel tones of mauve, pink and lavender blendings, are included in this mixture. 6ft. tall.

Pkt. 40¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4628 Choicest Mixed, Gold Medal Exquisite, single, semi-double and double flowers ranging in color from the lightest de of blue to darkest purple. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt. 35¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

#### Floradale Giants

Marvelous type, with strong spikes, 4 to 6 ft. tall, studded with large double, semi-double, and single blooms, which often measure 2 in. and more in diameter. A planting is sure to demand admiration.

3758 Art or Pastel Shades Showy.

3827 Deep Blue Shades Excellent.

3828 Light Blue Shades Beautiful.

3849 Mid-Blue Shades Striking.

3829 White Varieties Unusual.

4622 All Colors Mixed Gay mixture of colors from sky-blue through cornflower-blue, mauve, heliotrope to deep pansy-purple, with many opaline variations and crested "bees" in white, cream, and black.

Any of the above Floradale Giants: Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.75

#### Giant Pacific

Tall, slender, graceful flower spikes of very large and well-formed blooms. Many of the plants are highly resistant to mildew. We offer an extra choice strain made up over a period of years by careful selection and which we can highly recommend for cutting, exhibition, prized beds, tall borders and backgrounds. Plants grow 4 to 5 ft.high.

3847 Black Knight Series Imposing flowers of varying darkest violet shades.

3838 Blue Bird Series Clearest medium blues with white "bees." Huge.

3832 Blue Jay Series Medium to dark blue shades with dark "bees"; intense and much alive. Long, dense spikes.

3837 Cameliard Series The round, beautifully formed flowers are very large, up to 3 in. across; clear lavender in contrast to the white "bee" in center.

3793 Galahad Series Most impressive and desirable; pure glistening white, giant flowers in heavy branching trusses.

3848 Guinevere Series Large double flowers of lovely light lavender-blue shades with lighter blue centers. Graceful spikes.

3831 King Arthur Series Flowers are large; deep blue and blue-violet tones in contrast to the prominent white centers.

**3839 Lancelot Series** Soft and distinct shade of pure lilac set off by a white "bee." Individual flowers are very large.

3846 Round Table Series Each year hundreds of crosses are made especially for this group. Some exceptional colors and color combinations can be expected

3835 Summer Skies Series Very large flowers of clear, pure, pleasing shades of azure-blue, light and deep sky blue. Soft and refined; clean and pure. Strong spikes.

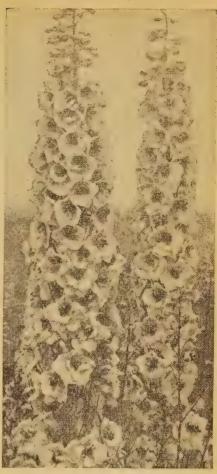
Any of the above Series of Giant Pacific Delphiniums:

Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.75

3834 Astolat Series New shades of pink from pale blush through varied tones of lilac-pink to deep raspberry-rose with contrasting large fawn, brown or black "bees." Well-formed spikes of great beauty.

Pkt. \$1.00; ½16 oz. \$2.50

#### Perennial Glowers



Giant Pacific Delphiniums, 4633 All Colors Mixed Pkt. 50¢

4633 All Colors Mixed, Giant Pacific Magnificent blend of all the dif-ferent named series. A planting is always sure to demand admiration whether in beds or borders; the tall, majestic spikes are most imposing and highly valuable for exhibition. Vigorous growing and very free blooming. White and varied blue shades. Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.75

Giant Pacific Delphiniums Black Knight, Cameliard, Galahad and Summer Skies

4787-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety, 4 pkts. in all, value \$2.00 for only \$1.75

#### **DIANTHUS**— Hardy Garden Pinks

Brilliantly colored flowers for beds, borders, rock gardens, edgings and cutting. The dwarf plants are free blooming and produce flowers of different forms and sizes. Of easy culture; succeed in all soils. Many will bloom the first year if the seed is sown early. Other members of the family are Carnations and Sweet William which are offered separately.

double and single flowers in a wide range of colors, some with different colored centers. Bloom from early spring till fall. 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 30¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

3842 Cheddar Pinks (Caesius splendens) Bright pink, sweet-scented, daintily fringed flowers are freely produced in May and June on dwarf, compact plants, 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3875 Crimson Bedder Hybrid Velvety crimson single and semi-double fringed flowers from May to September, 1 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3845 Maiden Pinks (Deltoides brilliant) Rich rosy crimson flowers are profusely borne in June and July on 10 in. plants.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85 3853 Plumarius, Double Mixed Double and semi-double fragrant, fringed blooms in a wide range of pretty colors. Plumarius is the old-fashioned, English hardy pink that is used by the thousands in the rock gardens and borders of Great Britain and a favorite over here. 18 in.

Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.85

3844 Red Clusters (Cruentus) Many dark crimson-scarlet semi to full double flowers in clusters all summer long until frost. The attractive plants grow 15 to 18 in. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.00; ½8 oz. \$1.85

3804 Rare Species Mixed An excepgrowing species for borders. Perfect little gems for exposed places and indispensable for rock gardens. Also widely used along rock walls or for edging borders. Grow 10 to 12 in, tall.

Pkt. 35¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.50; 1/8 oz. \$2.50



Dianthus, 4621 Allwoodi Mixed Pkt. 30¢

**Burpee Seeds Grow** 

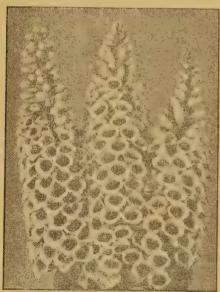
#### Perennial Flowers



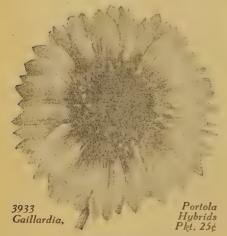
4617 Coral Bells, Mixed Colors Pkt. 356



4611 Coreopsis grandiflora double Pkt. 25¢



4625 Excelsior Foxglove Pkt. 50¢



#### **CORAL BELLS**

4617 Mixed Colors (Heuchera sanguinea) Dainty white, pink, rose, and crimson bell-shaped blooms on graceful, slender spikes 18 in. long from June until September. Fine for border, rock garden and cutting. Prefer moist, well-drained soil and semi-shade. moist, well-drained soil and sem-shade.
Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½6 oz. \$2.25

#### COREOPSIS—Golden Wave

One of the most popular and easiest grown hardy plants. Blooms profusely from May until autumn if flowers are not allowed to go to seed. Will flower the first year if seed is sown early. Showy in the border, fine for cutting. Vigorous growing; drought resistant. Grows in any soil, but does best in moderately fertilized, light loam in full sun. From 2 to 3 ft. high except Maritima.

3811 **Grandiflora** Large, single, golden yellow flowers; an improved old favorite. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $50\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $85\phi$ 

4611 Grandiflora Double Beautifully formed double and semi-double bright golden yellow flowers on long, stiff stems.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

3826 Maritima Immense, bright canary-yellow flowers, 4 in. across; tall, bushy, free-blooming plants with feathery foliage. Also known as Leptosyne maritima. 3 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

3822 Mayfield Giant The brilliant deep golden yellow flowers are extra large, bigger than the grandiflora single or double types.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

#### FOXGLOVE—Digitalis

Flowers are shaped and spotted like gloxinias. Do well in sun or half-shade; bloom in June and July. Splendid for beds and borders. Being biennials, seed should be sown every year for a continuous display.

4625 Excelsior Mixed Prize Winner, Royal Horticultural Society of Great Britain. Distinctly different; earlier blooming, larger flowers borne horizontally all around the stem instead of the usual drooping blooms on three sides only. These valuable characteristics make wider, more showy spikes and reveal the pretty markings and contrasting blotches inside the flowers. Colors include pink, rose, purple, cream, primrose and white. 4 ft. and more tall.

Pkt. 50¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.75; 1/8 oz. \$3.25

4629 Fine Mixed Many choice colors; prettily spotted or blotched. 3 to 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 20 $\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75 $\varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.40

4612 Giant Shirley, Mixed Colors Extra large bell-shaped flowers in a wide range of colors, many blotched or spotted crimson, maroon or chocolate. Strong 6 ft. plants.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

#### **GYPSOPHILA**

Perennial Baby's Breath

4627 Oldhamiana Especially valuable because it blooms after other varieties are past. The light rose-pink flowers are borne most profusely on stiff stems 2½ ft. long.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. 75¢; ¼8 oz. \$1.25

3864 Pacifica Much branched plants of the paniculata type but taller, more erect growing, and later blooming; flowers are rose-pink. Good for cutting. 3 to 4 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25



3861 Gypsophila, Early Snowball Pkt. 35¢

3861 Early Snowball (paniculata double)
Larger flowered and earlier blooming than
Double White. Miniature balls of pure
white blossoms cover the 2 to 3 ft. plants.
Pkt. 35¢; ½16 oz. 95¢; ½8 oz. \$1.50

4632 Double White (paniculata fl. pl.) Small, double white blooms in branched panicles during June and July. 3 ft. tall. Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. 95¢; ½8 oz. \$1.50

3863 **Single White** (paniculata) Tiny white flowers on slender stems are produced so freely as to give the plant a mistlike effect. Blooms during June and July. All paniculata types are valuable for mixing with other flowers in the fresh state and they can be dried for winter use. 2½ ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½6 oz. 60¢; ½8 oz. \$1.10

3902 Repens (Dwarf white) Trailing. dense, carpet-like plant for the rock garden, edging or border; small white flowers freely borne during June and July. 6 in. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3935 Repens Rose (Dwarf pink) Same habit of growth as Repens but flowers are clear light pink. Wonderful border plant.
Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25

#### 5 Popular Hardy Perennial Flowers

Columbine, Long-Spurred, Burpee's Best Mixture; Coreopsis grandiflora; Delphinium, Choicest Mixed; Gaillardia, Portola Hybrids; Gypsophila Single white

4781—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 excellent separate varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.35 for only

\$1

# GAILLARDIA - Blanket Flower

Gorgeously colored, long-stemmed daisy-like flowers in profusion from June to October. Showy in the garden; fine for cutting. Easily grown, the plants often flowering the first year if seed is sown early. Thrive in full sun and any good light or medium garden soil. Will stand drought and hot weather; always dependable and a widely grown garden favorite for many purposes. 2 ft. tall, except Goblin which grows 1 to 1½ ft. high.

3883 **Burgundy** The reddest gaillardia—shining wine-red petals sometimes tipped yellow. Exceedingly showy and effective.

3855 Dazzier Rather large flowers of bright golden yellow with deep crimson-maroon center. Charming as a cut flower.

3857 **Goblin** Nice for borders; profuse blooming plants, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall, covered with large bright yellow flowers zoned red.

3933 Portola Hybrids Attractive bronzy 3933 Forride Hybrids Attractive bronzy scarlet flowers heavily tipped with golden yellow. Large flowers on strong, stiff stems provide a gay effect continuously from June until frost. A most desirable hardy plant that stands adverse conditions well.

**3858 Tangerine** Showy, cheerful blooms in various shades of tangerine-orange with coppery cast. Distinct and pleasing tones. Plants are of rather compact growth.

# **BURPEE'S HOLLYHOCKS**

Hollyhocks are old garden favorites, excellent for a background to dwarfer plants, for screening unsightly places, and planting along bare walls. They are of the easiest culture, succeeding best in deep, rich, well-drained soil. The plants like a warm, sunny location, sheltered from the wind and should be staked. Bloom from late spring until midsummer.

#### **Double Flowered Hollyhocks**

#### FORDHOOK GIANTS

Flowers are very large—up to 4 in. across. The stately spikes grow 5 to 6 ft. tall.

3899 Crimson Rather showy and unusual.

3867 Newport Pink Soft, delicate shade.

3879 Rose Pleasing shade of deep rose.

3869 Scarlet Intense, brilliant scarlet.

3859 White Combines well with the others.

3897 Deep Yellow Artistic and unusual.

4626 All Colors Mixed A splendid assortment of all the above and other colors.

Any of the above Hollyhocks. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

#### Six Double Hollyhocks

Crimson, Newport Pink, Rose, Scarlet, White and Deep Yellow

4777 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these six colors, \$1 value \$1.50 for only

4631 Burpee's Fancy Blend Large double flowers with waved and fringed petals of many unusual colors. 5 to 6 ft. tall. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ; 1/8 oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ; 1/4 oz. \$1.60

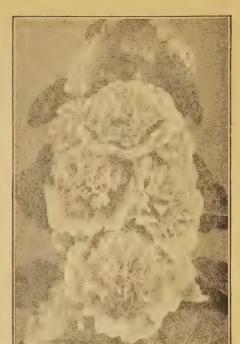
3872 Carnation Flowered Mixed Beautiful large blooms, 4 to 5 in. across, resembling a huge carnation. Extremely double, with rather narrow petals arranged so as to form large, fluffy pompons which are solidly set on the tall, spire-like stalks. 5 to 6 ft. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.25

3856 Early Triumph, Mixed Colors Rather dwarf-growing type of distinct branching habit. The large double flowers have fringed petals and come in many colors, some tinted with a second tone. 4 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### Single Large Hollyhocks

3862 Mixed Colors Magnificent plants, 8 ft. tall, the spikes studded with huge single flowers in a wide range of colors from white to maroon. A very choice mixture. In times past double flowered varieties were most popular, but many people now realize single flowered kinds have exceptional beauty.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; ¼ oz. 75¢



Perennial Glamers

4631 Hollyhock, Fancy Blend Pkt. 25¢



3876 Geum, Lady Stratheden Pkt. 25¢

#### GEUM --- Avens

Dainty double blooms are freely produced on long stems from June to September if not allowed to go to seed. Needs protection over winter in cold sections, or, in such localities, treat as annuals by starting seed early indoors. Valuable for cutting; excellent in the border. 1½ to 2 ft.

3876 Lady Stratheden Bright golden yellow, loosely double flowers; rich color.

3914 Mrs. Bradshaw Large, double, fiery scarlet, showy flowers in great profusion.

Either of the above Geum: Pkt. 25¢; 1/16 oz. \$1.25; 1/8 oz. \$2.25

#### HELIANTHEMUM -- Rock Rose

3865 Mixed Colors (Mutabile) Dwarf, evergreen plants with innumerable lovely rose, pink, yellow and white blooms during May and June. Ideal for dry, sunny situations in borders, banks or rock gardens. 1 ft.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

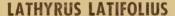


3865 Helianthemum mixed Pkt. 25¢

#### **IBERIS**—Perennial Candytuft

4635 Sempervirens White During spring and early summer the dwarf, neat evergreen, shrubby plants are hidden under a mass of large and showy clusters of white flowers. Excellent for rock gardens or borders, extremely charming on ledges or walls, and useful as a ground covering. Does well in dry places, but water freely during periods of drought. Plants grow 10 in. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85



Perennial Pea

4645 Mixed Colors Vigorous climbing or trailing plants with showy clusters of pink, white and reddish purple sweet-pealike flowers from June until September if not allowed to go to seed. Desirable for training on trellis, fence, pergola, arch or trailing over banks, rocks, rough places; good for cutting. Quick grower. Succeeds in almost any kind of soil and location with practically no care. 5 to 6 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ½ oz. \$1.40

#### LILIES FROM SEED—Lilium

Lilies are easily grown from seed and last for years once they are established. They require well-drained soil and will grow in sun or half-shade. As cut flowers they bring exotic beauty to arrangements.

3874 Philippinense formosanum seed is sown early, some blooms may be expected the first year. It usually requires 6 to 8 months after seed is sown before flowers appear. If grown in pots, plants will often bloom two or three times a year. Long, trumpet-shaped white flowers with reflexing petals are borne in umbels and somewhat resemble an Easter Lily. 2 to 3 ft. Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ oz. \$2.00

3873 Regal (Regale) Gorgeous, trumpet-shaped, heavily scented white blooms with a touch of canary-yellow deep in throat and a shading of lilac-pink on the outside. Strong growing; bloom in July. 3 to 5 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

Hardy Garden Lily Bulbs, pages 108 and 109

#### **GROW YOUR OWN PERENNIALS**

It is easy to grow hardy plants from seed and save a lot of money. Why buy the plants—grow your own. We offer a wide assortment. Cultural directions are given on every bag.



4635 Iberis sempervirens white Pkt. 25¢

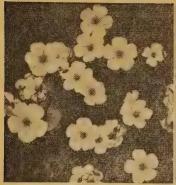


4645 Lathyrus, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢



3873 Regal Lily Pkt. 256

Grow Burpee Seeds



Linum 4637 Perenne Blue Pkt. 25¢



Lychnis 4647 Chalcedonica Pkt. 25¢



Nepeta 3882 Mussini Pkt. 25¢



Primula polyanthus 4634 Giant Mixed Pkt. 35¢

PRIMULA—Hardy Primroses

Beautiful early spring flowering perennials with colorful blooms of varied forms. They

prefer half-shade and rich, moist, but well-drained soil. Fine for edgings, borders, and rock gardens; most effective if planted in groups. Seed is often slow to germinate.

3893 Auricula, Finest Mixed Many bright colors, including pastel shades, soft orange and copper-brown. The plants grow 6 in. tall and bloom during April and May. Flowers are delightfully fragrant.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.50; ½8 oz. \$2.50

4634 Polyanthus, Giant Mixed (Primula veris elatior) Very large clusters of flowers in various shades of orange, yellow, cream, pink, rose, crimson, lilac, purple, violet, as well as white. The plants grow 6 to 9 in. tall and produce numerous flowers in April and May, Individual flowers are large, some eyed with contrasting color, others often gold laced; all are beautiful. It is also referred to as Bunch Primrose.

Pkt. 35¢; ½6 oz. \$1.75; ½ oz. \$3.00

#### LINUM — Perennial Flax

**4637 Perenne Blue** Light blue flowers in great profusion from May until August that are especially nice in the rock garden. Easily grown from seed. Succeeds in ordinary soil and an open, sunny location. 2 ft. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.25



4636 Lupines, Burpee's Improved Hybrids

3895 Pyrethrum roseum, Startler Pkt. 25¢

#### PYRETHRUM ROSEUM

Persian or Painted Daisy

Easily and quickly grown from seed. Bloom in May and June, and if the plants are cut back they will bloom again later in the season. Wonderful cut flowers. 2 ft. tall. Usually known as Pyrethrum roseum, but actually is *Chrysanthemum coccineum*.

3894 Single Ruby Red Large ruby-red flowers, mostly single, although there are occasionally some semi-double blooms.

Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

3895 Startler Showy, single flowers, 3 in. across, of a striking deep crimson-rose color in contrast to the light yellow center.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

4648 Single Mixed The large, daisy-like blooms in white, and many shades of rose, pink, lilac and red are most desirable for cutting; showy subjects in the garden.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

4642 Double Mixed Seed has been saved from full double flowers, but some semi-from full double flowers, but some semi-doubles and singles can be expected. White, rose, pink, crimson, flesh-pink and red in mixture. Especially valuable for cutting. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; ½16 oz. \$1.50

3892 Rudbeckia speciosa Pkt. 25¢

# LUPINES—Lupinus polyphyllus

Magnificent plants with elegant spikes of pea-flower-like blooms during May and June. Good for cutting. Succeed in well-drained, sandy or light woods soil. 3 ft.

4638 Russell Well-rounded, thickly set spikes of the most extraordinary colors—blues, pinks, reds, yellows, purples, and other self-colors; also a beautiful assortment of bicolors. Extra select mixture.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3854 Mixed Colors Blend of all colors in varying hues of blue, pink, yellow, etc. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢ 4636 Burpee's Improved Hybrids Contains a wide range of the more delicate colors—received and provided the colors.

colors-creamy pink, orange, salmon, chocolate, lavender, etc., and some bicolors.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. \$1.00

#### LYCHNIS -- Maltese Cross

4647 Chalcedonica Easily and quickly grown from seed and will bloom the first year if seed is sown early. Valuable for beds, borders and cutting. Flowers are fiery scarlet; each individual blossom forms a Maltese Cross. June and July. 2 ft. high. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.25

#### NEPETA

3882 Mussini Pretty upright spikes of lavender-blue flowers cover the neat little bushes from May until September. Both foliage and flowers are aromatic. 1 ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. 85¢; ½8 oz. \$1.50

4642 Pyrethrum, Double Mixed Pkt. 356

#### RUDBECKIA—Coneflower

3881 Purpurea Large, daisy-like, pastel 3881 Purpured Large, daisy-like, paster garnet-purple flowers with prominent coneshaped centers. July and August. 3 to 4 ft. While commonly cultivated as Rudbeckia purpurea, botanically, it is *Echinacea purpurea*. For garden, borders and cutting. All Rudbeckia succeeds best in semi-shade.

3892 Speciosa (Newmani) Brilliant, rich orange-yellow, daisy-like blooms with deep brown centers. July to September. 3 ft.

Either of above Rudbeckias: Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 75¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.40

Giant Hybrid Tetraploid Rudbeckias, sensa-tional new flowers are offered by us as Gloriosa Daisies (page 20); be sure to grow them.

#### SALVIA — Hardy Blue Sage

3903 Azurea grandiflora Long spikes of bright sky-blue flowers are freely produced during August and September. Makes a fine display in sunny borders or cut. 3 ft.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; ½ oz. \$2,00

#### Perennial Flowers

#### **BURPEE'S HARDY POPPIES**

The colorful beauty of perennial poppies assures them a place in every garden. They are of easy culture, growing to perfection in any average well-drained garden soil and in a sunny or only slightly shaded location. Seed is best sown where the plants are to bloom, especially the Orientale type.

#### Iceland Poppies—Papaver nudicaule

Iceland Poppies are charming in the border or rock garden, and furnish ideal cut flowers when picked while in bud. The plants form neat, compact tufts of bright green foliage, from which arise graceful, wiry stems bearing their flowers in brilliant colors in early summer and more or less throughout the season. Will flower the first year if sown early. Often grown as an annual. 15 to 18 in. tall, except where noted.

3866 Yellow Wonder All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Showy, cup-shaped flowers, 4 in. across, of rich lemon-yellow changing to bright buttercup-yellow with lighter centers. It is longer stemmed and more vigorous growing than any other Iceland Poppy. Ideal for garden and cutting. 2 ft. high.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3871 Alpinum Mixed Colors Miniature poppies, invaluable for edgings or rock gardens. The flowers, on stems about 6 in. long above the grayish green foliage, are of white, orange, yellow and shades of pink; many are fringed.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3905 Coonara Pink Improved Gorgeous pink shades of varying intensity from soft pink to deep rose, apricot, salmon, etc., are in this selection.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3934 Gartford Art Shades Huge flowers in beautiful art or pastel shades, many delicately edged or daintily picoteed with contrasting colors. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00

3891 Sandford Giants Very large blooms on strong, long stems in a beautiful range of pastel and deeper colors. Biggest flowered of all Iceland Poppies. Sure to attract attention. 1½ ft. tall.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.25

3904 Burpee's Best Mixed choice blend of the finest large-flowered varieties in a wide range of most beautiful colors. Some flowers have attractively crinkled crepe-like petals. 1½ ft.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.35

3922 All Colors Mixed Choice mixture of many colors for a gorgeous display. The flowers are of good size; stems are long and wiry. Makes a nice show. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00



3866 Iceland Poppy, Yellow Wonder Pkt. 25¢



4644 Oriental Poppy, Mixed Colors Pkt. 35¢

#### Oriental Poppies—Papaver orientale

Huge, brilliantly colored blooms borne profusely during May and June on plants 3 ft. and more tall. Color of flowers may not come 100% true from seed but will show a good percentage of the proper color. The plants may be left undisturbed for years when once established. If possible, grow in a sheltered location away from the wind.

3884 Brilliant Red (orientale) Brightest orange-scarlet with a large, conspicuous purplish black blotch at the base of each petal. Striking, especially in masses. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.85

**4644 All Colors Mixed** Fiery red, scarlet, crimson, orange-scarlet and the loveliest shades of pink in a glorious blend. Pkt. 35 ¢;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$2.50



4641 Scabiosa, House's Giant Mixed Pkt. 35¢

#### SCABIOSA — Blue Bonnet

Succeeds in any good, fairly rich soil and a sunny location. Beautiful, long-stemmed flowers of artistic form; prized for cutting and borders. June to September. 1½ to 2 ft.

3939 Lavender Blue (caucasica) Exquisite, soft shade of lavender. A favorite.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

3901 Pink (columbaria) Deep rosy mauve with a pink sheen. Distinct and pleasing.
Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; ¼ oz. \$1.40

4641 House's Giant Mixed Long stemmed giant flowers of various shades, from deepest ultramarine-blue to the palest lavender, azure-blue and silvery white mixed. Petals are ruffled. Nice when cut.

Pkt. 35¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ¼ oz. \$2.25

#### SHASTA DAISY

Desirable for borders and cut flowers, doing best in moist but well-drained soil in a sunny or partially shaded location. Pure glistening white flowers in June and July. Easy to grow with little care. 2 to 2½ ft. Commonly grown as Shasta Daisy although it is Chrysanthemum maximum botani-cally. Best grown as a biennial.

4618 Alaska Large white, single flowers, 4 to 5 in. across, with small yellow centers. Stems are long and strong. Very popular. Pkt. 25¢; ½16 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25

4615 Floradale Daisy The petals are shredded, quilled and gracefully incurved, giving the large, pure white flower a semi-double, chrysanthemum-like appearance.

Pkt. 35¢; ½16 oz. \$1.25; ½8 oz. \$2.25

#### **SIDALCEA**—Prairie Mallow

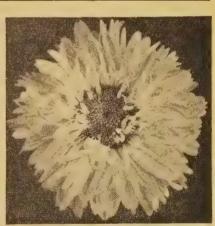
3906 Mixed Colors Erect, slender spikes of mallow-like flowers varying from blushpink to crimson. June and July. Does well in sunny borders, Blooms first year if the seed is sown early. Valuable as cut flowers in arrangements. Grows 2 to 3 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

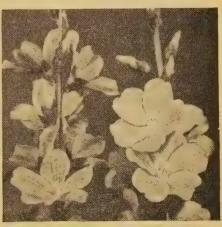
#### 5 Popular Dwarf Hardy Flowers for Rock Garden and Border

Aiyssum saxatile compactum Arabis alpina Cerastium tomentosum Coral Bells, Mixed Colors Linum perenne blue

4718 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 5 separate varieties, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.30 @ 1 for only **\$1** 



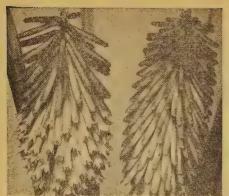
4615 Shasta Daisy, Floradale Pkt. 35¢



3906 Sidalcea, Mixed Colors Pkt. 25¢

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#### Perennial Flowers



3924 Tritoma, Burbank's Hybrids Pht. 356

#### TRITOMA -- Red Hot Poker

Tall spikes topped by narrow, tubular flowran spikes topped by harrow, tubina howers from pale yellow to orange-red. August to October. For border and cutting. Not reliably hardy in cold regions; winter over in coldframe. 3 to 4 ft. Commonly sold as Tritoma but botanically it is *Kniphofia*.

3925 Burpee's Best Mixture Unusual colors not seen in other mixtures. Superb. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.40

3924 Burbank's Hybrids Tall, erect, and vigorous plants. Rare colors in mixture. Pkt.  $35 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{16}$  oz. \$1.25

#### SWEET WILLIAM—Dianthus barbatus

Large, showy flower-heads composed of numerous good-sized individual blooms in May and June. Of easy culture. For best results, treat as a biennial. 1 to 1½ ft. tall.

3907 Copper Red Bright copper tone.

3936 Crimson Beauty Crimson with a white center marked deeper crimson.

3928 Holborn Glory Many colors, all having a distinct, showy white eye.

4639 Newport Pink Watermelon-pink.

3918 Pink Beauty Pink suffused salmon.

3911 Scarlet Beauty Bright scarlet.

3915 Pure White Glistening white.

Any of the above named Sweet William: Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

3913 Single Mixed Many choice colors, some of the one color, others with clear white eye and sometimes varicolored. white eye and sometimes varieofolds. Pkt.  $20\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz.  $70\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.20

4643 Double Mixed Wonderful range of colors. A high percentage of double flowers can be expected from this select strain.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

#### **Dwarf Sweet William**

4646 Mixed Colors The dwarf, compact plants, 6 in. tall, are covered with clusters of single flowers in a wide range of colors. Fine for edgings and rock gardens, Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

4643 Sweet William Double Mixed Pkt. 25¢

**Five Sweet William** Copper Red, Crimson Beauty, Newport Pink, Scarlet Beauty and Pure White

4801-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety, 5 pkts. in all, value \$1.25 for only



3896 Statice latifolia Pkt. 25¢



3923 Verbena venosa Pkt. 25¢



3886 Viola cornuta, Apricot Pkt. 256

#### **STATICE**—Sea Lavender

Masses of dainty flowers in large panicles. Useful for cutting; the flowers when dried last for months. In bloom during July and August. 2 to 3 ft., except Lavender Gem which is 1 ft. tall. Pretty in rock gardens. While known as Statice for years, the correct botanical name is Limonium.

**3917 Dumosa** Soft, silvery gray flowers. Pkt.  $25 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.85

3896 Latifolia Immense lavender-purple Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. 85%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50

3919 Lavender Gem Light lavender. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ¼ oz. \$1.85

#### STOCKS—Sweet Scented

3912 Emperor Large spikes of fragrant, double flowers in a wide range of colors. Prized for cutting for indoor decoration. Best treated as a biennial. 1 to 1½ ft. tall. Pkt. 25¢; 1/8 oz. \$1.00; 1/4 oz. \$1.85

#### VERONICA - Speedwell

Thrive in full sun or light shade but prefer moist, well-drained soil. Easily grown.

3932 Blue Candle Long, slender spikes closely set with beautiful blue flowers are profusely borne in July and August. 2 ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.85

3926 Spicata, Mixed Bright blue, pink and white mixed. June and July. 1½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ¼6 oz. 85¢; ½ oz. \$1.50



3783 Trumpet Vine Pkt. 25¢

#### TRUMPET VINE—Campsis

3783 An easily grown woody climber with 3783 An easily grown woody climber with brilliant orange-scarlet, trumpet-shaped blooms in July and August. Often climbs to a height of 30 ft. and will cling to tree trunks, rough walls, wood and rocks. Succeeds in semi-shade. Long known as Tecoma and Bignonia radicans.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/4 oz. 85¢; 1/2 oz. \$1.50

#### HARDY VERBENA

3923 Venosa Spreading plants, 1 ft. tall, covered with large panicles of purplish blue flowers from July until frost. Blooms the first year if started early. Largely used for bedding and makes a good ground cover.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

#### VIOLA CORNUTA

#### Large Flowered Tufted Pansies

Smaller flowered than pansies and more persistent. Easily grown, dependable, and full of bloom all through the summer until hard frost if the faded blossoms are kept picked off. Lovely in beds, rock gardens and edgings. Bloom the first year if seed is sown early; in fact, it is grown as an annual in many sections, especially where winters are severe. 6 in. is average height. Do well in any good garden soil but do best in rich soil in partially shaded locations.

3887 Admiration Deepest violet-blue.

3886 Apricot Rich apricot tinged orange.

3927 Arkwright Ruby Bright ruby-red.

3898 Avalanche Glistening snow-white. 3937 Blue Perfection Soft light blue.

3938 Chantryland Pure apricot over-all.

3868 Yellow Perfection Deep yellow. 4624 Special Mixture All best colors.

Any of the above Viola cornuta:

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.75

#### WALLFLOWER - Sweet Scented

3852 Fine Double Mixed Long spikes ass2 rine Double Mixed Long spikes closely set with large, double, fragrant flowers in yellow, russet, brown and mahogany colors in May. Make nice cut flowers; effective garden subjects. Needs winter protection in cold sections; in very cold regions, lift plants and carry over the winter in coldframes, 1½ to 2 ft, tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½6 oz. 75¢; ½8 oz. \$1.25

# BURPEE'S Famous Vegetable Seed

GROW YOUR OWN VEGETABLES The vegetables you grow, if used when they are in prime condition, will be fresher, taste better and contain more vitamins and minerals than those usually

bought at the store. To enjoy the flavor of vegetables at their very best, they should be cooked as soon as possible after being picked. Many of the best vegetables were first introduced by Burpee.



Vegetable Seeds and Roots are Sent Prepaid anywhere in the U.S.

#### **Maturity Dates**

The average number of days required from the time the seed is sown until vegetables are ready for use is given with each variety. Where plants must first be grown, such as Celery, Cabbage, Peppers, Tomatoes, etc., the number of days to maturity is from the time plants are set in the garden. Of course, the time is average, having been obtained over a period of years in our trial grounds under different conditions; some variation is to be expected, depending on the season, locality and time of sowing. The approximate maturity dates given will show the relative time when different varieties will be ready to use ent varieties will be ready to use.

#### Follow the Bull's Eye ①

We have used this mark,  $\odot$ , for years to guide the gardener in the selection of vegetable varieties which we believe will give the best results under varied conditions of soil and climate. We have best results under varied conditions of soil and climate. We have reprinted an old woodcut which appeared in early Burpee Seed catalogs, the forerunner of our present symbol. This mark, Qusually called a bull's eye, was used by the ancient alchemists to represent gold. It therefore is most appropriate for indicating the varieties which we consider the best of their class. If you are not thoroughly posted which varieties to choose for your section, we suggest you select those marked with the bull's eye.

# **BUSH LIMA BEANS**

# 6183 Burpee's Fordhook O

The most famous lima bean in the world. First named and introduced by Burpee in 1907, and named for Burpee's Fordhook Farms.

75 days. The leading variety of bush lima beans whose dry, mealy quality and delicious flavor, not unlike chestnuts, makes Fordhook the universally known large "potato" type bush lima bean for all purposes. Pods are 4 to  $4\frac{1}{4}$  in. long, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{8}$  in. wide, and  $3\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick, dark green, straight to slightly curved, crowded with 3 or 4 large, thick beans. Plants are bushy, upright, 20 in. or more in height, with a spread of 2 ft. or more; very vigorous, with many pod-bearing lateral branches. Buy from Burpee, the originator.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.65

#### 5093 Fordhook No. 242—All-America Bronze Medal Winner

75 days. Begins to bear about the same time as Burpee's Fordhook. The plants set well under adverse circumstances due to resistance to high temperature conditions. Heavy yielder of pods, 3 to 4 in. long, with 3 or 4 thick beans; excellent fresh, canned or frozen. Its flavor is delicious no matter how used.

Pkt.  $20 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $50 \notin$ ; lb.  $85 \notin$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6175 Burpee's Improved Bush Lima O—Prolific yielder

75 days. Easy to shell. Popular bush lima where a flatter bean than Fordhook is desired. Pods are produced in clusters of 5 or 6; they grow  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, 1 to  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in. broad, slightly curved and moderately thick, containing 4 or 5 very large, flat-oval beans of the highest quality. Good for fresh use as well as for freezing. Vigorous, prolific, erect growing plants. Large, thick, flat seeds are white with a greenish cast, becoming pale green and meaty at the cooking stage. Has the longest pods of any bush lima.

Pkt.  $20 \notin$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $50 \notin$ ; lb.  $85 \notin$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 5104 Baby Fordhook Bush Lima

70 days. Thick-seeded or "potato" type small lima bean considered by many to be of better quality than the flat type. Pods are  $2\frac{3}{4}$  in. long and  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. wide, thick, slightly curved, containing 3 or 4 dark green beans of high quality, close but not crowded in the pod. Plants are truly bush, only 14 in. tall, but branchy. Pkt.  $20\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $85\frac{e}{5}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.65

#### 5105 Henderson Bush Lima

65 days. Old stand-by variety of baby lima for fresh use, canning, quick freezing as well as a fine dry shell bean. Pods are flat, straight to slightly curved,  $2\frac{3}{4}$  in. long,  $\frac{3}{4}$  in. wide, with 3 or 4 flattish, green, small beans turning creamy white when dry. Widely used for its tasty flavor in a variety of uses.

Pkt. 206;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 506; lb. 856; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### THE EFFECT OF SEASON, LOCALITY, ETC.

Throughout the vegetable section of this catalog, we have given the approximate maturity dates and other comparative information about varieties, such as their size, shape, etc. It should be understood that weather conditions, climate, soil, locality and time of sowing may affect any or all of these characteristics. The approximate maturity dates given will show the relative time when different varieties may be expected to be ready to use.

# **ASPARAGUS** Mary Washington

Most valuable green asparagus for eating fresh, canning and quick freezing. The shoots are thick, heavy, and straight; dark green, slightly tinged purple at the tightly folded tips. Uniform, heavy yielder and fine flavor; highly resistant to asparagus rust. Does well in any well-drained garden soil.

5009 Seed A light cutting of stalks in three years and regular cuttings each year thereafter may be had from plants raised from seed sown this spring. For quicker results, plant our large 1-year-old roots which are offered below.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.30; ½ lb. \$2.40

6901 Roots Roots should be planted as early in the spring as the ground can be worked. We supply large one-year-old roots, carefully graded and packed, which will furnish a light cutting next spring and regular cuttings each year thereafter.

25 roots for \$1.50; 50 for \$2.75; 100 for \$5.00;

250 roots or more @ \$40.00 per 1000

Burpee's Fordhook, the most popular Bush Lima Bean

#### **Bush Lima Beans**

Easier grown than pole limas as plants do not Easier grown than pole limas as plants do not need support. There are varied sizes and shapes of beans to meet your preference, whether it be the large thick (Burpee's Fordhook) or small thick "potato" type (Baby Fordhook), the large flat (Burpee's Improved) or the small flat baby butter lima (Henderson Bush). Some prefer one type for eating fresh, another as dry beans or freezing. We list the best varieties for the purpose. A pkt. of large-seeded varieties will sow 15 ft. of row; one lb., 100 ft.; the small-seeded kinds will, of course, go much further.

Other Beans on the next four pages



# BUSH SNAP BEANS, Green Pod

All are stringless and most delicious fresh, canned or frozen



50 days. Pods are brittle, fleshy, meaty, stringless, fiberless,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, thick, round, smooth, deep green, and characterized by unusually long, curving tip ends. Of great value for fresh use, canning and freezing. Matures early and is productive over a long period. Burpee's Tender Pod seems to be less affected by adverse weather conditions than most varieties. Seeds are pearly white, with small, reddish-brown spots on either side of the eye; the reddish-brown spots do not appear until beans are about matured. If allowed to ripen, the dried, oval-shaped shell beans are of excellent quality piling. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ; ½ lb.  $55\phi$ ; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50 for baking or boiling.

#### 6163 Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod O-Heavy yielder

50 days. Always tender, brittle, meaty, juicy, entirely stringless and of the finest flavor. The green pods are round, 5 to 6 in. long, slightly curved and so thick as to appear double-barreled. Plants are enormously productive and yield remarkably well under adverse conditions.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6161 Bountiful O - Broad, flat, tender

48 to 50 days. The most popular of the flat green-pod bush as to 50 days. The most popular of the flat green-pod bush beans for all purposes; its shape makes it ideal for French-cut canning. The green pods grow 6 to 7 in. long, stringless, broad, flat, of the choicest quality. Seems to do well most everywhere. Plants are vigorous and very prolific, bearing a heavy crop of delicious pods over a long season.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢;

2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6246 Greencrop

All-America Bronze Medal Winner

51 days. Remain in good edible condition longer than many varieties in this group. Pods are dark green, 6 to 6½ in. long, straight, rather wide, stringless with delicious brittle flesh. Makes a heavy, early concentrated set of pods and the erect, vigorous plants produce heavily for a long time.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢;
2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.00

#### **Bush Snap Beans**

Before the introduction of stringless bush beans, green and yellow podded varieties were known as string beans and this name, unfortunately, seems to remain in many localities. Now that strings and tough fiber have been bred out of these varieties, we are referring to them as snap beans. Take a pod, green or yellow, break it quickly and see how it snaps. Pods are most delicious, raw or cooked, if picked when quite young and tender. They have more vitamins then, are better for you and, of course, they taste better. A pkt. of seed will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb., 150 ft.

#### 6162 Improved Tendergreen O

Mosaic-resistant

56 days. Extremely meaty, smooth, dark green, round, tender pods of delicious flavor, 6 to 7 in. long, straight to slightly curved, absolutely stringless at all stages of growth and always free from fiber. Wonderful for fresh use; ideal for canning and freezing. Dependable and productive.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 90¢;
2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### 5092 Stringless Valentine

Popular and reliable

51 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Smooth, brit-51 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Smooth, brittle pods of fine quality, delicate flavor, entirely stringless at all stages of growth; pods are semi-round or thick-oval, dark green, 6 to 6½ in. long. It has proven to be a reliable cropper on practically all types of soil. Seeds are jet-black.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 75¢;
2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.00

#### 3 of the Best Green-Pod Bush Beans

Burpee's Tender Pod, Burpee's Stringless and Improved Tendergreen

6663—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of the three stringless varieties, value 70¢ for only 60¢

6672—SPECIAL: 1/2 lb. of each, 11/2 lbs. in all, value \$1.60 for only \$1.40

6682—SPECIAL: 1 lb. each kind, 3 lbs. in all, value \$2.75 for only \$2.50

# BUSH SNAP BEANS, Green Pod, continued

#### 5084 Topcrop—Mosaic-resistant; hardy

49 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Medium green, round, straight to slightly curved pods, 5½ to 6 in. long, slender when young, meaty, entirely stringless and without fiber; clean looking, attractive, free from blemishes or disease spots, immune to common bean mosaic, "greasy pod" or "shiny pod." Fine fresh, for canning and freezing.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢;
2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.00

#### 6165 Wade-All-America Gold Medal Winner

56 days. Wonderfully flavored, exceptionally smooth, round, stringless, slender, dark green pods, 5 1/2 to 6 in. long are profusely borne on strong growing plants well above the ground. Resistant to common bean mosaic and powdery mildew. Wade is a valuable all-purpose green pod. Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 55%; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.25

#### 6166 Tenderlong-Mosaic-resistant

48 to 52 days. Quality is superb, matures early, picking season is long, yields are high; resistant to common mosaic, pod mottle virus and at least one form of powdery mildew; all good reasons why it is so popular and dependable. Stringless and fiberless, tender and rich flavored, meaty, medium dark green, slender, round pods, about 6 in. long.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢;
2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### **Discontinued Green Pod Bush Beans**

Giant Stringless—Recommend Burpee's Stringless Green Pod. Longreen—We recommend Improved Tendergreen.

Easy how-to-grow directions are given on every package of Burpee Seeds-Vegetable, Flower and Lawn Grass

# YELLOW POD BUSH SNAP BEANS

Fine flavored snaps, fresh, canned or frozen; all are stringless

Yellow Pod Beans have an appetizing, distinctive flavor and tenderness that make them especially desirable. Cooked alone or with green-pods they are most delicious. As with green-pods, you have your choice of varieties with either round or flat pods. Round-podded varieties are the most desirable for home canning and freezing. A pkt. of seed will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb., 150 ft. of row.

#### 6172 Surecrop Stringless Wax O

Tender, meaty, brittle, sweet flat pods

52 days. Rich golden yellow pods, straight to very slightly curved, 6 to 6 ½ in. in length, ½ in. wide and thick-flat. Perfectly stringless at all stages. Plants bear a heavy crop of attractive, uniformly colored, large pods which can be quickly picked. Also known as Yellow Bountiful. Both names are most appropriate.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 6171 Burpee's Brittle Wax O—Round pods

52 days. Burpee's Brittle Wax is a most widely planted waxpodded bush bean of quality for fresh use, freezing and canning. Pods are tender, succulent, extremely brittle and of the finest flavor; clear, waxy yellow, smooth, round, slightly curved, 6 to 6½ in. long. Entirely stringless and fiberless at all stages of growth. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.25

# 6176 Pencil Pod Wax—Round as a pencil

54 days. Delicious, thick, meaty pods as round as a pencil are borne profusely over a long period. They are rich yellow, deeply curved, 5 to 6 in. long, stringless, tender, brittle, fleshy and with a wonderful flavor and tenderness that is most pronounced. A good old standby that is ideal for all purposes. Deserves its popularity.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 5094 Rustproof Golden Wax—Top Notch

50 days. Straight, golden yellow pods, stringless and brittle, broad. flat-oval, 5 to 5½ in. long. Profuse bearer. Quite resistant to bean rust. Dried seeds are oval-shaped, shiny white, with reddish brown markings around the eye. Great improvement over older types.

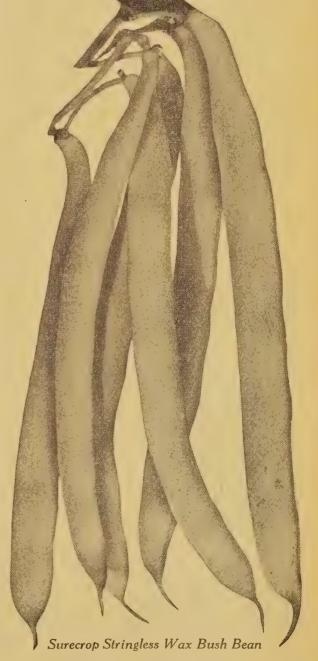
Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 3 Popular Stringless Yellow or Wax-Pod **Bush Snap Beans**

Burpee's Brittle Wax, Rustproof Golden Wax and **Surecrop Stringless Wax** 

6644—SPECIAL: 1 pkt. each, value 65¢ for only 55¢ 6653—SPECIAL: ½ lb. each, value \$1.55 for \$1.35

6651—SPECIAL: 1 lb. each, value \$2.70 for \$2.45



Pole Beans on the next two pages

# POLE BEANS

Young pods make delicious snap-shorts; also popular as green or dried shell beans. To many persons, pole beans have that good bean flavor that is lacking in some varieties of the bush type.

Pole beans come into bearing later than bush beans, yield more heavily over a longer period and some produce bigger pods. They do best if the vines, which grow 5 to 8 ft. and more high, are given support, the most frequently used being rough poles, although they may be planted 3 to 5 in. apart along a trellis or fence or along a series of strings on which they may be trained.

A pkt. of seed is enough for 15 poles; one lb. for 100 poles or 300 ft. of fence, trellis or string.

#### 6232 Burpee Golden O—Best flavored of all beans

60 days. Tender, stringless, fiberless, meaty and of the most delicious flavor at all stages of growth. Pods are wide, flat, butter-yellow, 5½ to 6½ in. long, 1 in. across, and may be sliced lengthwise for cooking. Plants start out to grow like a bush bean and set their pods very early, quite close to the ground; then the runners shoot up and continue to produce tender pods of outstanding quality over a long period.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 90¢; lb. \$1.75; 2 lbs. \$3.00; 5 lbs. \$6.25

6182 Kentucky Wonder O—Most widely grown green pod pole bean
65 days. Noted for the delicious flavor of the pods and the distinctive tasty flavor of the dried light brown seeds which makes them so highly desirable for use as shell beans. It is early, climbs well, and bears a heavy crop of large, green pods, 7 to 9 in. long, in clusters. They are round, thick, meaty, tender, brittle, excellent for quick freezing, fairly straight and stringless when young. Though thick, the pods appear slender.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5113 Kentucky Wonder, Rust resistant — White seeded; heavy yielder 63 days. Flat-oval, dark green pods, 6 to 7 in. long; stringless and of very good quality when young. Rust resistant. White seeds are delicious for dry shell use, especially for baking. Pkt.  $20 \cente{c}$ ; ½ lb.  $50 \cente{c}$ ; 1/2 lb.  $85 \cente{c}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5114 Kentucky Wonder Wax O 68 days. Slightly curved, flat-oval, light yellow pods, 7 to 8 in. long, brittle, meaty, practically free from strings. Popular for snap beans when young or for green shell and dried beans later. The seeds are brown.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

5116 Blue Lake, White Seeded 60 days. Excellent snap beans of good quality. Pods are round-oval, medium green,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 in. long, straight, smooth, fleshy, tender, stringless and fiberless. The leading canning and freezing bean in California and the Northwest. The small white, dried seeds are suitable for dry shell use.

Pkt. 20e';  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 50e'; lb. 85e'; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5127 Horticultural (Cranberry or Wren's Egg) 70 days. Recommended chiefly as a green or dry shell bean of good flavor; fine for baking. The flat-oval, broad, green pods, 5 to 6 in. long, make delicious snap-shorts when young.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5107 McCasian 63 days. Popular for snaps or shell beans. Stringless and of good quality when young, show slight strings when full size. Pods are dark green, curved, brittle, flat, 7 to 8 in. long. The dried seeds of McCaslan are white.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

Blue Lake, Black Seeded - Discontinued; we recommend Blue Lake, White Seeded.

Lazy Wife—Discontinued; we recommend Horticultural.



Kentucky Wonder Pole Bean

W. ATLEE BURPEE CO.

#### **BUSH SHELL BEANS**

Red Kidney and White Marrowfat are grown mostly as dried beans for winter use; Dwarf Horticultural for green shelled beans, although pods may be used, when young, as snap beans. Shell beans should be left on the plants until the pods are matured. The bushes are then cut, allowed to dry, and the beans threshed and thoroughly dried out before they are stored. A pkt. of seed will sow about 25 ft. of row; one lb., 150 ft. of row.

5081 **Dwarf Horticultural** 65 days to green shell beans. Pods 5 to 5½ in. long, thick-flat, light green in snap stage, marked with carmine at maturity; stringless with some fiber when young and make snap beans of fair quality. Grown mostly for the beans which are delicious whether they are used in the green stage or dried.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5082 **Red Kidney** 95 days. Beans are large, kidney-shaped, pinkish red to mahogany, and are in great demand either baked, boiled, in soups or certain Spanish and Mexican dishes. They have a rich flavor, different from white shell beans and are preferred by many. Pods are 6 in. long, flat, light green, stringy and inedible. The bushy plants are 20 to 22 in. tall. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.50

5085 White Marrowfat 100 days. The clear white, medium-large, rounded oval beans are widely used for baking. 5 and sometimes 6 beans are grown to a pod which are flat, nearly straight, inedible and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in. long. Vines are heavy, strong growing, of the short runner type, and grow to a height of about 16 to 18 in.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

French Horticultural - Discontinued; we recommend Dwarf Horticultural.

# EDIBLE SOY BEAN, BUSH

5103 Bansei 96 days for use as green shelled beans. High in proteins and vitamins, green or dried. One of the most productive and will produce crops in nearly any section of the country. The plants are erect, bush-like and literally loaded with pods, each containing 2 or 3 oval-shaped, bright green beans which are delicious cooked as green shelled beans. When fully matured, the dried beans are nearly round, yellow and may be cooked similarly to lima beans. Suitable for quick freezing; extensively used for canning. A pkt. will plant 25 ft. of row; 1 lb., 150 ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50



# POLE LIMA BEANS

# 6181 Burpee's Big 60-Longest podded of all pole lima beans

88 days. Beans are large, medium-thick, tender, of the choicest quality and flavor; their good green color is retained to a great extent when cooked. Pods are truly giant, 6 to 7 in. long, 11/8 in. wide and almost always contain 6 delicious beans. In some sections, customers have reported only 5 beans to a pod. On our farms, Burpee's Big 6 averages one more bean per pod than Giant Podded or King of the Garden and grows about 1 in. longer than either of these varieties. Plants are tall growing, excellent climbers, vigorous, dependable and heavy croppers. We recommend it most highly for fresh use, canning and quick freezing.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.85; 5 lbs. \$4.25

#### 5121 Burpee's Giant Podded—Produces the largest pole lima beans

90 days. Pods are 5½ to 6 in. long, 1¼ in. wide, with 4 or 5 extra large, oval-flat, green beans of the most delicious flavor; excellent for freezing. The largest beans of all pole limas. Vines are vigorous growing; attain a height of 10 ft. and freely produce their pods in clusters of 4 to 8.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

#### 5124 Burpee's Best O—Same good quality as the well-known Fordhook Bush

92 days. A pole lima with all the good characteristics of Fordhook Bush—thick seed, rich tenderness, larger pods with three or four times as many on each plant. Pods are straight, 4 to 434 in. long, 114 in. broad and 114 to 114 in. through, well filled with 4 or 5 big plump, "potato" type beans that are exceptionally tender and have the distinctive nutty flavor, somewhat like that of chestnuts, that is characteristic of the world famous bush Fordhook. Burpee's Best is excellent for with free internet as well as free three tops. quick freezing, as well as fresh use. Vines are strong climbers growing as much as 10 to 12 ft. high. Pkt.  $20\phi$ ; ½ lb.  $50\phi$ ; 1b.  $90\phi$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.75

Burpee Seeds Grow; order today from Burpee's nearest to you

#### 5111 Carolina or Sieva—"Butter Bean"

78 days. Quick to bear and therefore is especially valuable for home gardens in sections with short summers, and in localities with hot summers where pods often fail to set. Pods grow 3 to 3½ in. long, and contain 3 or 4 small, flat, smooth beans of splendid quality. Shelled beans are medium green. They are white when dried.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### 5115 King of the Garden—Famous; popular

88 days. The most popular home garden pole lima for fresh use and quick freezing. The pods are about 5 in. long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. wide and contain 4 and often 5 large, flat beans of excellent quality. Pkt.  $20\cancel{\varepsilon}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $50\cancel{\varepsilon}$ ; lb.  $85\cancel{\varepsilon}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

#### Pole Lima Beans

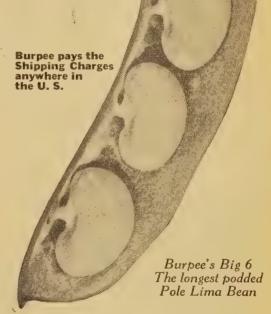
Pole Limas mature somewhat later than bush limas and must be given support on which the vines may climb. The yield per sq. ft. of garden space is larger than that for bush limas. Many persons prefer the flavor of pole lima beans to the bush varieties.

A pkt. of seed will plant 10 poles; 1 lb., 50 poles. Small plantings may be made along a fence or trellis, putting several beans 1 ft. apart, later thinning to one strong plant; such plantings would require 1 lb. of seed to about 50 ft. of row; a pkt. will plant about 10 ft.

#### Legume Aid

Better blooms and increased yield results when you apply Legume Aid to peas, beans, soy beans, sweet peas, etc. Treating seeds of legumes before planting causes nodules to develop on the roots. These nodules gather nitrogen from the air and convert it into plant food.

9254—Garden packet, inoculates up to 5 lbs. of seed, only 20¢

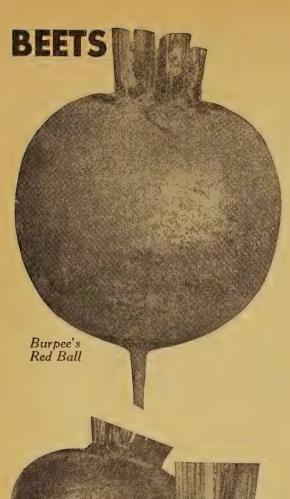




5083 Long Pod 85 days. The large beans somewhat resemble lima beans and should be used in the same way, either cooked fresh or as a winter shell bean. Flavor is somewhat like that of the pea. Much hardier than other beans and should be planted as early in the spring as the ground can be worked; they will not thrive in summer heat. Plants are large and erect, true bush form, and heavy yielders. Pods are glossy green, 7 in. long, and contain 5 to 7 large oblong-shaped, flat, light green beans, which are valuable for use as green shell beans. Dried seeds are reddish brown with black eye. Pods are not edible. A pkt. will plant 15 ft. of row; 1 lb., 75 ft.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50







Burpee Redhart Beets

Beets are easily grown and are delicious as baby beets when roots are half grown, or they may be used from then on until they reach their full size. Tops are highly palatable when cooked as "greens" or young beets with their tops may be cooked together. Burpee's Red Ball, Burpee's Redhart, Detroit Dark Red and Crosby's Egyptian are universally popular. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; one oz. 100 ft. How to grow directions are on every package.

# 6193 Burpee's Red Ball O

One of the darkest red beets of quality

60 days. Outstanding for its tasty, sweet flavored, dark red flesh, free from woody fiber, and under good growing conditions shows hardly any lighter colored zones. Its intense, deep red color, well retained when beets are cooked, especially fits it for table use. Roots are of uniform globe shape, growing to 3 in. in diameter, with smooth, deep red skin and medium-small tap-root. Erect growing, medium tall red and green foliage tops. One of the best round red beets for table use, canning and freezing, especially where dark red flesh is important.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 55¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.20; lb. \$3.50

#### 6191 Crosby's Egyptian—Popular early beet

56 days. Top to semi-globe shaped, 3 in. in diameter with medium size tops and slender tap-roots. Skin is smooth, medium dark red and the flesh purplish red, with lighter colored zones; tender, sweet and entirely free from fiber, widely grown for early home use and freezing. Pkt. 15%; oz. 45%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 95%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

#### 6185 Burpee's Extra Early —Earliest round beet

58 days. Wonderful early, sweet and tender beet; valuable for canning or pickling, whole or sliced, perfectly smooth, globe-shaped roots growing to 3 in. but, as with all beets, are best if used when small. The flesh of Burpee's Extra Early is dark red with hardly any zones.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

#### 6196 Burpee White—Sweetest flavored beet

60 days. Flesh is white, tender, firm, crisp, and sweeter than any red table beet we have ever tasted. Roots are white, topshaped to nearly round, with a fairly heavy tap-root. Occasionally the roots have a slight pink tint on the shoulders. This coloring is only on the skin, and does not run into the interior. Tops are large and vigorous, of a shiny, medium green color. They are excellent "greens"—appetizing look; flavorful.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

#### 6233 Burpee Green Leaf

Free of reddish tinge

56 days. Splendid table beet developed by us to fill the need for a truly green leaf beet of early maturity, attractive shape and size. Tops are entirely green with no reddish tinge or red petioles as in most table beets. When cooked, the tops retain their appetizing green color. Roots vary from flattened globular to top-shaped; dark red skin and purplish red flesh with lighter zones which remain sweet and tender even when large. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.60; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$4.50

#### 6186 Burpee Redhart® Beet O

Tender, sweet-flavored beet of great uniformity

56 days. An improved strain of Crosby's Egyptian selected for its uniform shape, evenness of maturity, smooth skin and dark red flesh. Roots are semi-globe to heart shaped with red skin and dark red flesh which cooks tender with no fiber and is of a sweet flavor. Preferred by many for its most delicious taste. Pkt. 25%; oz. 60%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.60;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$4.50

#### 6203 Detroit Dark Red, Short Top O

60 days. Widely used round beet for main crop and fall use whether for table, canning or freezing. Tops average about 3 in. shorter than those of the regular strain, making it suitable for growing on muck or for any use where large tops are not necessary or desirable. Roots are also slightly smaller and more globular. Skin is dark red; flesh is uniform deep red, always sweet and tender, with zones so faint that when the flesh is cooked, the zones are unnoticeable. Smaller tops are advantageous—allow beets to stand closer together in the row. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

# **Best 3 Table Beets for Sweetness and Flavor**

Burpee's Red Ball, Burpee White and Burpee Redhart

6641 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these three distinct, delicious table varieties, a total value of 75¢ for only

# BEETS, continued

# 6192 Detroit Dark Red, Medium Top

59 days. Beets are perfectly round with deep red skin, very dark blood-red flesh showing hardly any zones; tender, fine dark blood-red fiesh snowing hardry any zones, grained and exceptionally sweet. They reach 2½ to 3 in. in size grained and exceptionally sweet, they reach 2½ to 3 in. in size and have a small collar and a thin tap-root; plenty of "tops."

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

5122 Early Wonder—Valuable for all purposes
55 days. Gardeners like this very early beet; its smooth skin and uniform shape highly commend it for table use. Popular for canning whole or sliced as well as for pickling. Semi-globeshaped, about 3 in. across, with medium size tops; dark red skin and deep red flesh with slightly lighter zones.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

#### 5123 Lutz Green Leaf O

80 days. A long season beet of quality. Whether used when small or allowed to grow large, they are tender, very sweet and will remain so all summer as well as when stored for use during the winter. Roots are half-long, top stored for use during the winter. Roots are likely long, to shaped, dark purplish red with dark red flesh and slightly lighter zones. The glossy green tops have a pink mid-rib.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. 95¢;
½ lb. \$1.65; lb. \$2.80

#### 5078 Ruby Queen—Good home garden beet

56 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Home gardeners favor this fairly early beet for the fresh and appetizing appearance provided by its deep crimson-red colored interior which is free of light colored zone rings. Globe shaped with short tops; dark red skin and flesh. **Pkt.**  $25 \ensuremath{\wp}$ ; oz.  $60 \ensuremath{\wp}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.60;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.75; lb. \$4.50

#### **Discontinued Varieties of Table Beets**

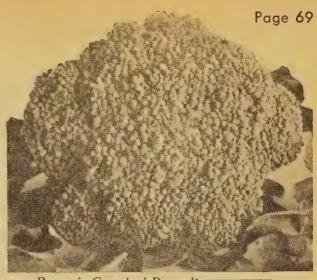
Blood Turnip Beet-We recommend Crosby's Egyptian.

Extra Early Flat Egyptian—Use Burpee's Extra Early.

# MANGELS—For stock feeding

5131 Mammoth Prize Long Red 110 days. Roots 18 to 24 in. long, 5 to 6 in. across. Skin is light red, flesh white tinged rose. Grow ½ to ¾ above ground so they are easy to harvest. Used largely for winter feeding of cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft. of row.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 75¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; lb. \$2.10



Burpee's Greenbud Broccoli NEW THIS YEAR

# BROCCOLI Italian Green Sprouting

Most easily grown and delicious flavored, vitamin rich vegetable for fresh use, canning and quick freezing. Seeds sown in early spring furnish heads in summer; sowings made in midsummer will produce in late summer and fall. Pkt. provides about 125 plants; oz. 3000.

**6007 Calabrese** 85 days. The central large, cauliflower-like head of bluish green flower buds grows 5 or 6 in. in diameter and after being cut, numerous smaller heads appear on the side branches. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 85¢;

6005 **De Cicco** 78 days. Very similar in every way to Calabrese but ready for use about a week earlier. Recommended highly. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, \text{oz.} \, 50 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $85 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4} \, \text{lb.} \, \$2.50$ 

6255 **Greenbud** of 60 days. Our special strain of De Cicco as grown by Burpee. It has been selected for earliness, deeper green color, large central heads, and a high production of side sprouts, suitable for freezing. Performs equally well spring, summer or fall. Pkt. 40¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.70; ¼ lb. \$5.00

# CHICORY—Delicious, appetizing salad

**5217 Witloof** (French Endive) 110 days. Choice salad delicacy of mildly acrid flavor for use in the fall. The head-like cluster of well blanched leaves is 5 to 6 in. long, compact and somewhat resembles cos lettuce in appearance but much shorter. If wanted during the winter, chicory roots may be dug up and stored. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $45 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $75 \, \varepsilon$ 

#### SWISS CHARD—SUMMER GREENS

A healthful and nutritious, easily grown vegetable. Leaves are cooked and served like spinach and the mid-ribs like asparagus, or both may be cooked together. Leaf-stalks make delicious fritters. Cutting may be done by removing outer leaves of various plants, thus allowing the center and remaining leaves to grow, or entire plants may be cut off a couple inches above the crown and new leaves will be produced. Chard stands hot weather and is an abundant, continuous window. Suitable for fraging A plate of sord will say 25 ft of remove and 100 ft. yielder. Suitable for freezing. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft.

#### 6195 Burpee's Fordhook Giant ⊙-Tall

60 days. Leaves are rich dark green, much crumpled and savoyed, thick, fleshy and make the most tender "greens." The pearly white stalks,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in across, make an excellent dish prepared like asparagus as do the broad mid-ribs of the leaves. Giant, heavy yielding plants.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

#### 6202 Burpee's Rhubarb Chard—Distinct

60 days. A Swiss Chard, the stalks of which look like rhubarb, being bright but delicate, translucent crimson; the rich color extends out through the veins into the dark green, heavily crumpled leaves. The leaf-stalks, considered by many as the most delicious part of chard, and the leaves have a sweet, tasty, delicious flavor when cooked.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.30; ½ lb. \$2.35

5134 Luculius

60 days. Popular variety for which some culinary experts claim first place on account of its mild, spinach-like flavor. Light green, heavily savoyed, crumpled leaves grow to large size. The thick, broad white stalks are splendid for creaming. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.70

Perpetual or Spinach Beet—Discontinued; plant Fordhook Giant.



Burpee's Fordhook Giant Swiss Chard

# **Burpee's Earliest CABBAGE**



# 6002 Burpee's Copenhagen Market O

Popular home garden and early market cabbage

72 days. Heavy yield, convenient size, attractive shape, solidity and fine quality make it the popular early cabbage it is today. Heads are well-rounded, solid, of excellent quality,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter and 6 in. deep, weighing from 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. The flavor of the crisp, tender, white interiors is remarkably fine so that it is also desirable for early kraut making. Our strain is notable for its uniformity from year to year and in a single year's planting. Pkt.  $15\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $45\phi$ ; oz.  $80\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.30

# 5004 Early Jersey Wakefield

65 days. A quality early conical head cabbage, 7 in. deep, pointed at the top and having a broad base 5 in. across; weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each, tightly folded, crisp and tender. The heads are uniform. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

#### 6001 Golden Acre O-Round and solid

63 days. Has all the wonderful characteristics of our Copenhagen Market; the heads are a trifle smaller and mature 9 days earlier. They are very uniform, solid, round, 6 in. in diameter, and weigh 3½ to 4 lbs. each—a most satisfactory size for the average family; in quality, they cannot be surpassed. Plants are small and compact, which permits close planting. A valuable extra-early cabbage.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

#### 5003 Golden Acre (Yellows-Resistant)

64 days. The earliest of the round-headed yellows-resistant cabbages. Heads are of good quality, medium size, 5 ½ in. deep, 6 in. in diameter, and weigh 4 to 5 lbs. each. Plants are short-stemmed, erect, with few outer leaves. Uniform.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 5005 Early Jersey Wakefield—Pointed

(Yellows-Resistant)

63 days. Heads are of conical form, 7 in. deep, pointed at top with a broad base 5 in. across. For use in place of Early Jersey Wakefield only on soils infested with "yellows."

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$2.75

#### 5007 Marion Market O-Round

(Yellows-Resistant)

75 days. Popular early cabbage for "yellows" infested land. Resembles Copenhagen Market but makes a larger plant. Heads are almost round, solid, 6 ½ to 7 in. deep, 8 in. across and weighing 5 ½ to 7 lbs. each. Quality is good.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

# EARLY AND SECOND EARLY CABBAGE



Burpee's Allhead Early Cabbage Earliest of all large cabbages.

# 5006 Burpee's Allhead Early O\_Large

80 days. The earliest of all large cabbages, forming well-rounded, flattened heads which are remarkably solid throughout. Heads measure 8 to 9 in. across, 6 to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. deep, and weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. It is equally good for summer and for winter use. Excellent for early kraut.

Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50%; oz. 90%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.40

#### 6018 Bonanza—Solid, small-headed cabbage

75 days. If you want a solid, small headed cabbage we strongly recommend Bonanza. Early in the season, small heads are firm almost round, and perfectly uniform, yet will continue to grow and remain hard until maximum size which is about 6 ½ in. across and weigh 4 lbs.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

#### 5203 O-S Cross—Giant(F<sub>1</sub>) Hybrid

88 days. All-America Winner. True, first generation (F1) hybrid remarkable for its exceptional uniformity in the size of the huge heads and maturity as well as hybrid vigor. Heads are large, solid, flat, 11 in. across, 6½ in. deep, weigh 8 to 10 lbs. with a small to medium core. Plants are low growing and short stemmed; erect habit.

Pkt. (200 seeds) 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ½ oz. \$2.30; oz. \$4.25

5008 Stein's Flat Dutch—For home or market

83 days. Deservedly popular second-early with large, flat heads 5 ½ to 6 in. deep, 8 to 9 in. in diameter and weigh 5½ to 6½ lbs., sometimes more. Good keeper; suitable for kraut. Outer leaves are gray-green.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

All Seasons—Discontinued; we recommend Burpee's Allhead Early.

# LATE FALL OR WINTER CABBAGE

6012 Burpee's Surehead O

93 days. The special Burpee strain we offer is an improved one, uniform and a most desirable, large, late cabbage with a flattened head. Short stem, small frame, with heads weighing 7 to 10 lbs. each, 10 to 12 in. in diameter and 6 to 7 in. deep with few outer leaves. Good, reliable winter keeper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.40

### 6008 Penn State Ballhead O

110 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Special strain of Danish Ballhead. Heads are almost globular, 6 to 7 in. deep, 7 to 8 in. across, extremely hard, weigh 6 to 7 lbs. each. Recoinmended for kraut. Excellent winter keeper; uniform grower. Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50%; oz. 90%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.70



Burpee's Surehead Cabbage

## 5001 Burpee's Danish Roundhead

105 days. Excellent all-purpose fall or winter cabbage of Crisp texture with the same good qualities as Penn State Ballhead, but is shorter stemmed. Heads are round, 7 to 8 in. across and weigh 5 to 7 lbs. A good winter keeper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.60

### 5002 Premium Flat Dutch

100 days. Well known for its extra large, flat, solid heads of high quality. Will grow 10 to 13 in. across, 5 ½ to 7 in. deep and weigh 10 lbs. and more. Valuable for late fall and winter use as the large heads have good keeping qualities.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.30

# 5192 Wisconsin Hollander (Yellows-Resistant)

105 days. Selected for resistance to "yellows" and is recommended for use only on "yellows"-infested land. Heads are bluish green, large, round, flattened on top but quite deep, 7 to 8 in. across, weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. Good keeper.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.75

# SAVOY CABBAGE

6017 Perfection Drumhead 90 days. More pleasing flavor than regular cabbage; the head is greener and it retains its color when cooked. Quality is excellent. The large round heads are somewhat flattened, 9 to 10 in. across, 7 to 8 in. deep and weigh 6 to 7 lbs. each. Outer leaves are deep bluish green, crumpled or savoyed; inner leaves lighter green and arranged more loosely than in other cabbages. Best of the curly or savoyed cabbages.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.60

# RED CABBAGE

5195 Mammoth Red Rock 100 days. Used extensively for boiling and pickling. The tight, deep purplishred heads are of excellent flavor, round, flattened on top, solid as a rock, often weigh 6 to 8 lbs. each. Store well as they have good keeping qualities. A sure cropper.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. 95¢; ¼ lb. \$2.70

Cabbage is easily grown and may be eaten raw as cole slaw or cooked in different ways. While the smooth leaved varieties are the most popular, some prefer the green savoy crumpled leaved (Perfection Drumhead); others, the deep purplish red (Mammoth Red Rock); some, the round heads (Copenhagen Market); others, the Pointed (Early Jersey Wakefield) or flat (Premium Flat Dutch). We have the best kinds to meet your choice. Some of the mid-season and late varieties make excellent kraut; all the late varieties are desirable for fall use and winter storing.

A pkt. of seed will produce about 125 plants; oz. about 3000 plants. Days to maturity are from the time the plants are set in the garden; allow 30 days to produce plants from seed.

# BRUSSELS SPROUTS—Delicious flavor

6006 Long Island Improved More delicate flavor than cabbage. Round, dark green, tightly folded, cabbage-like heads or "sprouts" 1½ to 1½ in. across. The "sprouts" appear along the central stalk at the joints of the leaves and appear first at the bottom of the plant. Therefore, the lowest sprouts on the plant should be picked each time, after which break off the leaves below the sprout to make further picking easier. Light frosts seem to improve the flavor. Do not remove the top leaves. Suitable for freezing. First "sprouts" are ready to use in about 90 days from the time plants are set in the garden. 20 in. tall. A pkt. of seed will produce about 250 plants; an oz. 3000.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$2.90

COLLARDS—One of the best boiling "greens"

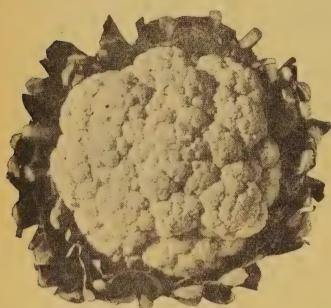
**5215 Georgia** 80 days. Juicy, blue-green leaves provide delicious boiling "greens" of fine quality. Will stand light freezing which improves the mild cabbage-like flavor of the leaves. Non-heading. You may cook whole plants when young or strip off the tender rosette or loose cluster of leaves at the top of the plant which grows 2 to 3 ft. tall. 1/4 lb. \$1.00 Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢;

Brussels Sprouts, Long Island Improved

# CAULIFLOWER

Use cauliflower as soon as heads fill out, otherwise they will lose in quality and break. Uncooked cauliflower is delicious, when head is broken up into small pieces, chilled and used as a relish with mayonnaise. Cooked cauliflower is a delectable dish; nice too, when used with cucumbers, onions, peppers, etc. in mustard chow-chow. Cauliflower is best grown as a fall crop in the greater part of the U.S. A pkt. of seed will produce about 150 plants; 1 oz. 4000.

Days to maturity given in descriptions are from the time the plants are set out in the garden. These are average and will vary somewhat in different seasons and sections.



Burpeeana Cauliflower

# CELERIAC—Turnip-Rooted Celery

5212 Giant Prague 120 days. Celeriac has a flavor similar to celery and is highly valued boiled or used in vegetable soup, stews, and other dishes. May be grated and eaten raw. Flesh is pure white. The edible portion is the large, thick root, which may be used when it has grown about 2 in. across; fully grown roots may average 4 in. in diameter. Grow as you would celery except that it does not require hilling or blanching. Roots may be stored.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

# 6026 Burpeeana O—Superior quality

58 days. Exceptionally choice extra early strain of Super Snowball as offered by Burpee. Beautiful, well-rounded, compact, pure white heads with smooth curds of superb quality well protected by many long jacket leaves. Most valuable cauliflower for the home gardener; excellent for freezing. Burpeeana is dependable, the heads showing a uniformity of size, shape and type that is truly astonishing. The upright plants are vigorous growing, sturdy.

Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.60;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$3.00; oz. \$5.25

## 5018 Improved Super Snowball

60 days. In sections where the Super Snowball type of cauliflower is preferred, or matures to best advantage, growers should try this strain. Plants are uniform and set a crop of pure white, smooth heads noted for their tight curds and fine flavor. Desirable for freezing. Pkt. 40¢; 2 pkts. 70¢; ½ oz. \$1.40; ½ oz. \$2.50; oz. \$3.65

# 6027 Early Snowball—A O

60 days. Heads are firm, deep globular in shape, white in color, and of excellent quality. It is widely used because heads can be cut in a relatively short time. Plants small to medium in size, erect to semi-spreading, with wavy, medium green leaves. Pkt. 30%; 2 pkts. 55%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.15;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.10; oz. \$3.40

### 5205 Burpee's Dry Weather

95 days. Drought-resistant and will produce heads when other varieties are a complete failure due to lack of moisture. In addition to this most valuable feature, it is a cauliflower of the highest quality, producing large, white heads that weigh 2 to 3 lbs. each. If you have been unsuccessful in getting other cauliflowers to head, we recommend that you try Dry Weather.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; ½ oz. \$1.90; oz. \$3.25

#### 5186 Purple Head—Green when cooked

80 to 85 days. Flavor is somewhat like that of broccoli, but milder and because of its delicacy and superior quality is preferred by many to white cauliflower or broccoli. Heads are quite large, deep purple on top but become green when cooked. Easier to grow than white cauliflower; no need to fold leaves and tie over head as heads are not blanched. Good for freezing. Pkt. 30¢; ½ oz. \$1.15; ½ oz. \$2.10; oz. \$3.40

Improved Holland Erfurt—Discontinued; we recommend Early Snowball—A.

# CHINESE or CELERY CABBAGE

70 days. May be served like lettuce or, when shredded, makes a delicious cole slaw. Tender, crisp and sweet with an agreeably spicy flavor. Boiled, it is far more palatable than ordinary cabbage. Adapted to quick freezing. Not a true cabbage, resembles Cos Lettuce somewhat. Where summers are cool, seed may be sown in early spring, otherwise sowings should be made about 3 months before your first expected frost. If sown too early, plants will "bolt" in hot weather and not form heads. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row, an oz. 200 ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ½ lb. \$2.30

Chihli and Pe-Tsai - Discontinued; we consider Michihli a better variety than either of these.

# CORN SALAD—Perhaps better known as Lamb's Lettuce

5219 Large Leaved Round 60 days. Leaves are sometimes served like lettuce but being of a very mild flavor are better if mixed with more piquant "greens." May also be cooked like spinach or used for garnishing like parsley. Produces rosettes of large, rounded, gray-green tender leaves. Sow in spring; again in midsummer, Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢

CRESS—Easy, quick growing "green"; best flavor if used when young

5216 Fine Curled (Pepper Grass) 40 days. The finely cut, deep green leaves have a pleasing, pungent taste and are excellent for flavoring salads, garnishing, or as a "green" alone or with lettuce. May be used when just a few inches tall and make further cuttings as needed.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ 20z. 35¢; oz. 60¢

5211 Water Cress 50 days. Small, oval, mildly pungent leaves for appetizing salads and garnishing. More palatable in cool weather. Adapted to a shallow running stream of fresh water, springs or moist soil in a shady place if a constant supply of fresh water can be provided.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.40

It is easy to order Burpee Seeds by mail. If you live in the East, send to Philadelphia; if in the Central States, send to Clinton, Iowa and if in the Western States, send to Riverside, Calif. We are equipped to take care of all orders promptly and efficiently.



Michihli Chinese Cabbage

#### 6067 Delicious - Truly delicious flavor

86 days. (Orange Flesh) Sweet, bright orange flesh of a good rich flavor. Melons 6 to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter and  $6\frac{1}{2}$ to 7 in. long; moderately ribbed and closely netted, creamy green at maturity. Fruits weigh about 5 lbs. each. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 65¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.70

#### 6066 Hale's Best, Improved 36

85 days (Salmon-orange Flesh) Very thick, firm, finely grained, salmon-orange flesh, sweet and spicy. Keeps its quality for a long time. Fruits round-oval in shape, weigh 3 to 4 lbs. each, grow 6 in. long, 5 ½ in. across with small seed cavity. The heavy netting is uniformly distributed over the surface. Plants are vigorous and prolific.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.55

#### 6061 Hearts of Gold ⊙-Very sweet

90 days. (Orange Flesh) Thick deep orange flesh of the sweetest flavor. Medium-size melons are of slightly elongated shape, 5 in. in diameter and 6 in. in length, nicely netted and weigh 3 lbs. each. A heavy cropper. Excellent.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.55

#### 6063 Honey Rock—Special strain

85 days. (Salmon Flesh) All-America Gold Medal Winner. Also called Sugar Rock. The thick, deeply colored salmon flesh is deliciously sweet, with a fine, smooth texture. Fruits are medium size with gray-green skin and neavy, coarse netting; almost round, 5½ in. in diameter, and weigh about 3 lbs. each. Productive, early; firm rind.

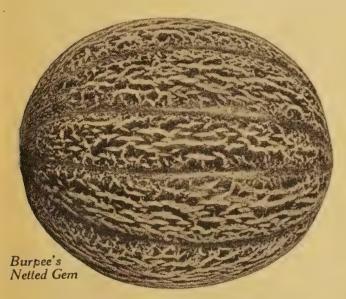
Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.55

#### 6242 Pennsweet—One of the sweetest

83 days. (Salmon-orange Flesh) All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Thick, juicy, very sweet, salmon-orange flesh with small seed cavity. Dependable early melon of medium size, 5 in. long, 4 in. in diameter, slightly oval, distinctly ridged melons, 1½ to 2 lbs. each, with light to dense netting. It is very well adapted for home gardens. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.70

#### 5037 Pride of Wisconsin—Firm flesh

92 days. (Orange Flesh) A melon which has very good quality, large size, firm, thick orange flesh of excellent flavor and edible to the rind. Fruits are nearly round, 6½ to 7 in., heavily netted, and weigh 4 to 5 lbs.; rind is blue-gray, turning golden when ripe. Small seed cavity. Pkt. 20%; oz. 60%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.55



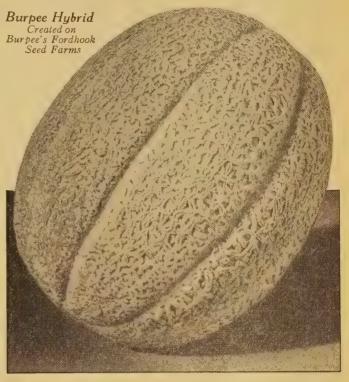
#### **Discontinued varieties**

Bender's Surprise-Recommend Pride of Wisconsin. Hale's Best 936—We recommend Hale's Best Imp. 36. Lake Champlain—We recommend Pennsweet. Pride of Fordhook-Recommend Pride of Wisconsin

# **CANTALOUPES**

(Muskmelons)

To really enjoy a cantaloupe, fruits should be allowed to fully ripen on the vine for, with the exception of Honey Dew, they do not become sweeter in flavor after being picked. Fruits are ripe when the stem, attached to the melon, will slip from it with a slight touch of the thumb. If the stem does not slip off easily, the melon is nor ripe and should remain on the vine. Many persons can select ripe melons by their aroma. A pkt. of seed will plant 12 groups, 1 oz. 50 groups or so-called "hills."



## 6137 Burpee Hybrid O—Outstanding

82 days. (Orange Flesh) Burpee Hybrid Cantaloupe is a true, first generation (F1), outstanding for quality and flavor. Fruits are heavily netted, ribbed, round to slightly oval, 7 in. long, 6 in. across and weigh 4 to 4½ lbs. each. Customers, in some sections of the country, have written us that they have grown much larger fruits of the Burpee Hybrid cantaloupe. The sizes we give are average; we, too, have grown much bigger melons. Regardless of their size, quality is unsurpassed. Flesh is deep orange, thick, firm, juicy, sweet and of the most delicious flavor of any cantaloupe.

Vines are vigorous growing and produce good early yields of large fruited, highest quality melons.

Pkt. (40 seeds) 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40;

3 pkts. \$1.95; 1/4 oz. \$2.50

# 6062 Burpee's Netted Gem

85 days. (Green Flesh) So sweet and luscious that the green flesh may be eaten close to the rind. Fruits are oval-shaped, firm-and solid, weigh 1½ to 2 lbs., slightly ribbed, green skin turning to gray when ripe with a silvery netting.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.55

# MELONS

#### **BEST MELONS FOR WARM CLIMATES**

Grown extensively in California for home use, local market and distant shipping. They are late maturing so need a long season to produce their crop of delicious melons.

5247 Golden Beauty Casaba
120 days. (White Flesh)
Globular fruits 6 to
8 in. across, golden yellow, tough, wrinkled skin; very thick, white,
juicy, sweet flesh. Will keep in good condition for several months.
Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

5246 Honey Dew
110 days. Green Flesh) Broad-oval melsmooth, ivory-colored skin and very sweet, juicy, pale emeraldgreen flesh. Good keeper.
Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.55

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Carrots may be used at different stages of growth but are at their best if eaten when half grown or smaller. There are varied sizes and shapes to suit your purposes as well as soil conditions; Burpee's Oxheart with its stocky, heart-shaped roots especially suited for shallow or heavy soil to Imperator for deep mellow soils—the popular medium length carrot for all general purposes is Burpee's Goldinhart.

A pkt. of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. of seed will sow about 200 ft.



# 6013 Burpee's Goldinhart ® O-Tender and sweet

70 days. Our special strain of Red Cored Chantenay which has been selected for uniformity, trueness to type, deep exterior and interior color, and small, indistinct core. Popular with all growers

because of heavy yield, all-round excellence and the bright golden orange flesh all the way through to the center. There is none better for freezing than Burpee's Goldinhart.

Roots are 5 to 5½ in. long and 2¼ in. thick at the shoulder, very gradually tapering to an abrupt stump end; skin is an attractive orange-scarlet. Flesh is fine grained, tender and of a delicate grainet flever f delicate, sweet flavor. Popular for all general purposes.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.15

# 6016 Danvers Half Long—Universal favorite

75 days. Well-known, heavy cropping carrot of great uniformity with deep orange-red skinned roots, 7 to  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter and tapering gradually toward the blunt end. Flesh is bright orange, fine grained, tender, rich in flavor and very sweet. Popular för table use, freezing and for winter storing.

Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$1.95

# 6015 Tendersweet—High sugar content

75 days. When fully mature, roots measure  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 in. at the shoulder, 8 to 10 in. long and taper to a blunt end. Skin is rich orange-red; interior is a deep orange with indistinct core. Quality is excellent and the texture crisp and brittle. Foliage is distinct, as the leaf stalks are tinged purple. An excellent bunching type carrot.

Pkt. 20¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.95

# 6003 Nantes Half Long O—Popular finger carrot 70 days. Of unsurpassed quality, texture, color and flavor. The half-

long, slim, well-shaped orange roots grow 6 to 7 in. long, are perfectly cylindrical, 1 to 1½ in. thick, the whole length ending abruptly in a small, thin tail. The roots are of delicious flavor, raw or cooked, fine grained, tender, sweet and practically coreless; flesh is orange-scarlet. Highly popular for its excellent freezing qualities.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$1.95

# 5016 Chantenay—Excellent for all purposes

70 days. Dependable, highly productive and one of the earliest of the better carrots, deep orange,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  in. long and  $2\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick at the top, gradually tapering toward the bottom to a distinctly stump end. The flesh is a beautiful rich orange, tender, of fine texture and very sweet. Splendid for table use and canning; excellent keeper.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$1.95

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Danvers Half Long

5013 Burpee's Oxheart

75 days. Being of short, chunky shape, they provide a large amount of edible flesh which is light orange, especially tender, sweet and of delicious flavor if used when young. Their shape makes them easy to harvest and they do well in shallow or heavy soils where longer carrots, which require deep, mellow soil, often fail to develop properly.

If allowed to mature, the broad, stocky, heart-shaped roots will grow 4 to 4½ in. long and 3 to 3½ in. across where they are thickest. Good keeper. Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40%; oz. 70%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.95

#### 6243 Gold Pak—All-America Winner

76 days. Rich orange, smooth skinned, slender, streamlined carrot, 8 to 9 in. long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across the shoulder, nicely tapered, with sweet, tender orange h. Valuable for table use, freezing and canning. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $45\phi$ ; oz.  $80\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.15

#### 6021 Imperator—Widely grown

All-America Winner

75 days. In demand for home gardens and freezing, as it has the streamlined shape, size and color to show to advantage, and the sweet, tender, fine grained flesh of rich flavor to further recommend it. Roots grow 8 to 9 in. long, 1½ in. across shoulder, tapering to a rather blunt end. Skin is rich orange-red; flesh is very deep orange. Requires a deep soil in order to produce the best roots.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 70¢; ¼ lb. \$1.95

#### Long Orange-Discontinued; We recommend Imperator

There are many ways to use carrots—cook alone, use in soups, stews, chowders, with other vegetables or with roasts; glazed carrots with green peas are ever popular. Raw carrots may be served as a relish when chilled and cut lengthwise in slender strips; splendid when shredded and used in salads and refreshing when served as juice.

#### 3 of the Best Carrots for All Purposes

Burpee's Goldinhart, Nantes Half Long and Tendersweet

6635—SPECIAL: One pkt. of each, value 65¢ for 55¢

**6631**—**SPECIAL:** ½ oz. of each, value \$1.25 for \$1.00

# Imperator CELERY

Celery is a popular vegetable served raw as a relish or cooked in different ways. May be used from the time plants are one-half or two-thirds grown until fully matured. Stalks may be blanched to make them more crisp and tender, although many persons prefer them unblanched, especially Burpee's Fordhook and Giant Pascal. Both are famous green celeries.

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A pkt. of seed will produce about 400 strong plants; 1 oz. about 7500 plants.

Days to maturity are from the time the plants are set out in the garden.

# 6022 Burpee's Fordhook O-The finest flavored green celery

130 days. The best and finest flavored fall and winter green celery. Plants are stocky, compact, 15 to 18 in. tall. The stalks, after blanching, are a beautiful pure silvery white, with a large, tightly folded full heart of the most delicious flavor. Always tender, crisp, without strings, and juicy. Ideal for fall use and storage.

Pkt. 35¢; 2 pks. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85; ¼ lb. \$5.50

# 5204 Burpee's Golden Self-Blanching

115 days. Stalks and heart are tender, solid, free from strings and of the most delicious nutty, crisp and juicy flavor. Plants make a compact growth and form thick, ribbed stalks which blanch easily to a beautiful clear waxen yellow. A desirable, widely grown, early, yellow celery. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.45

#### 6028 Giant Pascal—Well known for its unexcelled table quality

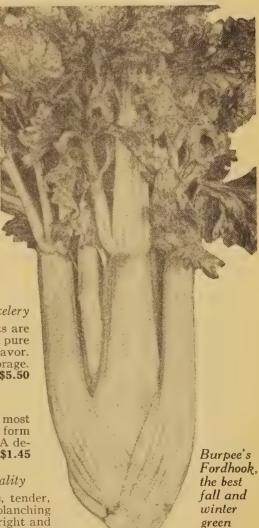
135 days. Stalks are tall, thick, solid, broad, distinctly ribbed, stringless, tender, crisp, very tasty and of a rich, nutty flavor when earth bleached. After blanching they are an attractive light yellow of superb quality. Plants are large, upright and very heavy. If properly stored, it will keep in perfect condition throughout the winter months.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.45; ¼ lb. \$3.90

# Cornell 19—Discontinued; we recommend Burpee's Golden Self Blanching.

# CARROTS





Celery

# HYBRID YELLOW SWEET CORN



Golden Cross Bantam Hybrid

#### **Best 3 Yellow Hybrid Sweet Corns**

Spancross, Marcross, and Golden Cross Bantam

6701—SPECIAL: One pkt. 60¢

6711—SPECIAL: ½ lb. \$1.40 each, value \$1.65 for

# 6213 Golden Cross Bantamo

Most widely used of all the hybrids

85 days. The standard hybrid for quality by which all others are judged and the most widely used of all the hybrids for canning, freezing and the home garden. Usually two ears, 7½ to 8½ in. long, each with 10 to 14 rows of sweet, light golden yellow kernels, are produced to a stalk 6 to 7 ft. high. This variety is quite uni orm in maturity and ear characteristics. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 6201 Aristogold Bantam Evergreen

89 days. Ears grow 8 to 9 in. long with 16 or 18 rows of exceptionally deep, juicy, golden yellow kernels of good flavor and tenderness. Husks are tight, resisting ear worms and smut. Plants are sturdy, vigorous, average 8½ ft. tall. Aristogold Bantam Evergreen is productive over a wide range of conditions.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$4.95

### 6241 Barbecue—Large eared second-early

75 days. Tender, sweet, of excellent quality and flavor. Ears are slender, cylindrical, 8 to 9 in. long, filled with 10 to 14 rows of rich golden kernels. Husks are smooth, dark green and cover the ears tightly. We highly recommend Barbecue as a large eared second-early hybrid variety. Plants grow 5 ft. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $55 \, \varepsilon$ ; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

### 5143 Burpee's Surecross O—Creamy yellow

88 days. High yielding, main-crop hybrid for fresh use, freezing and canning. Top notcher for flavor and tenderness. Ears are thick, 8 ½ in. long, with 14 or 16 rows of delicious creamy yellow, deep kernels. Stalks 7 to 7 ½ ft. in height, usually bear two ears each, the ears held at a good angle for easy harvest.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

### 5156 Carmelcross—Heavy yielding, second-early

80 days. Blocky ears, slightly tapered at tip,  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, well filled with 10 to 14 rows of delicious yellow kernels of medium breadth and depth. Popular, especially in northeastern states, southern Illinois and similar areas. 5 to 6 ft. Pkt. 20 e;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 55 e; lb. 95 e; 2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.25

# 6235 Golden Beauty O All-America Silver Medal Winner

73 days. Especially valuable in short season localities. Earliness combined with quality makes this high yielder a leading choice with gardeners everywhere. Ears 6 to 7½ in. long with 12 or 14 rows of delicious golden yellow, sweet, tender kernels of medium depth and excellent flavor. 4½ to 5½ ft. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

# 6263 Burpee's Honeycross O NEW THIS YEAR

87 days. A new-top quality, high yielding, wilt resistant hybrid, producing ears 8 to 9 in. long with 16 or more rows of bright yellow, deep kernels of the finest flavor. The ears are well filled, right to the tip, and are protected from ear worm and smut damage by tight husks. We highly recommend Honeycross to follow mid-season varieties. Because of extra seedling vigor, this hybrid will produce better stands over a wide range of soil conditions. Pkt. 35¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.25; 5 lbs. \$5.00

# 5145 Ioana O -All-America Bronze Medal Winner

87 days. Becoming increasingly popular in many sections for the home garden whether used fresh or for freezing and canning. Highly resistant to wilt and tolerant to ear worms. Ears 7½ to 8 in. long, uniform and cylindrical, well filled with 12 to 16 rows of deep, medium-narrow, light yellow kernels.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 5142 | ochief - All-America Gold Medal Winner

89 days. Valuable for all purposes. Drought resistant. Ears 9 to 10 in. long with 14 to 18 rows of exceptionally deep, uniform, golden yellow kernels of superior flavor. 6½ ft. stalks usually produce two long ears each. Outstanding quality. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

# 5144 Marcross —Leading second-early yellow hybrid

75 days. A most productive, large, uniform, second-early home garden hybrid of quality. Suitable for freezing. The ears are 6½ to 8 in. long, with 12 or 14 rows of large, sweet, light cream-yellow, medium-broad kernels. Short but sturdy stalks 5 to 5½ ft. high, highly resistant to bacterial wilt.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

# 6211 Spancross—Earliest yellow hybrid corn we offer

71 days. All-America Winner. Popular first early hybrid. Ears are  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. long,  $1\frac{3}{4}$  in. in diameter, slightly tapering, well filled to the tip with 10 or 12 rows of golden yellow, sweet kernels, with the ear set low on the 4 to 5 ft. stalk. Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

Lincoln - Discontinued; we recommend that you grow Ioana in its place.



# 6212 Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid O

90 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Differs from open pollinated Stowell's Evergreen in having deeper kernels and greater uniformity of maturity. It also has the advantage of having more vigor and higher productivity. Ears 7½ to 8½ in. long, slightly tapered, with 14 to 18 rows of deep, tender, very sweet, white kernels. Recommended for eating fresh, freezing and canning. 8 to 10 ft. stalks. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ; ½ lb.  $55\phi$ ; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

### 5141 Burpee's Snowcross—Earliest white hybrid

83 days. An exceptionally tender, white hybrid sweet corn of delicious flavor that meets the need of an early midseason variety of quality. Ears average 8 in. in length, taper toward tip, with 12 or 14 rows of clear white, deep kernels of good quality for canning or fresh use. Plants are deep green, single stalked, 6 to 7 ft. in height and bear one or two ears each.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$4.95

## 6262 Country Gentleman Hybrid NEW THIS YEAR

92 days. The ears are 7½ in. long, thick and covered with tender, deliciously sweet, white kernels that are deep, narrow and non-rowing. The strong stalks which grow 7 to 7½ ft. high, frequently bear two ears. It has all the outstanding merits of Country Gentleman, plus hybrid vigor.

Pkt. 30¢; ½ lb. 75¢; lb. \$1.35; 2 lbs. \$2.30; 5 lbs. \$5.50

### 5135 Silver Cross Bantam

85 days. Outstanding white-kerneled companion to Golden Cross Bantam with slightly taller and more single stalks; ears are somewhat larger and more tender; 8 to 9 in. long with 12 or 14 rows of broad, glistening, pure white kernels of the most delicious flavor.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. \$1.00;
2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

#### 3 of the Best White and Yellow Sweet Corns

Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid, Country Gentleman Hybrid, **Burpee's Golden Bantam** 

**6632—SPECIAL:** One pkt. each of these 3 varieties, value  $75 \frac{1}{60}$  for only  $60 \frac{1}{60}$ 

6691—SPECIAL: ½ lb. each of the 3 varieties, value \$1.75 for only \$1.50

6695—SPECIAL: 1 lb. each of the 3 varieties, value \$3.15 2.75 for only

# POP CORN A pkt. of seed will plant 75 ft. of row; 6 to 8 lbs. are required to plant one acre.

# 5187 Burpee's Peppy Pop Corn Hybrid O NEW THIS YEAR

90 days. An extra high yielding hybrid with outstanding popping and taste qualities, bearing two or three 4 in. ears on a stalk. The white kernels are deep, pointed and hulless. When popped, the white balls are round, much larger than those of Japanese Hulless, tasty, tender and fiberless. Stalks grow 5 to 6 ft. high. An early variety, Peppy Pop Corn is especially valuable to northern areas where summers are short.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$5.25

# 5163 Hybrid South American Mushroom O

105 days. Ears 6 to 8 in. long with 14 or 16 rows of orange-yellow kernels, somewhat rounded, with popping expansion of 28 to 30 volumes. Stalks grow 6 to 7 ft. tall.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$5.25

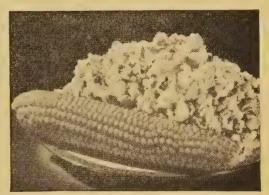
# 5166 Japanese Hulless-Also known as Baby Rice

95 days. Ears  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $4\frac{3}{4}$  in. long, well filled with deep, narrow white kernels which pop snowy white and are free from hulls or shells. The stalks grow 6 to 7 ft. tall. Pkt.  $20\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $45\frac{e}{5}$ ; lb.  $75\frac{e}{5}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.30; 5 lbs. \$2.75

#### 5161 Minhybrid—Especially valuable for the North

90 days. Early, hybrid hulless, with kernels which when popped are quite large. Kernels deep pointed, with thin skin; plump, blunt ears 3 to 4 in. long. 5 to 6 ft.

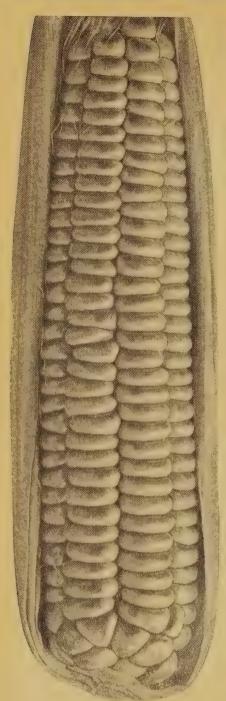
Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 65¢; lb. \$1.20; 2 lbs. \$2.20; 5 lbs. \$5.25



Burpee's Peppy Pop Corn Hybrid

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# STANDARD YELLOW SWEET CORN



Burpee's Golden Bantam Sweet Corn

#### SWEET CORN

Sweet corn loses flavor rapidly after picking. To enjoy it at its best, it should be home grown and eater picking. To enjoy it at its best, it should be home grown and eaten as soon as possible after ears are pulled. Take husks off promptly and if necessary to keep corn for a short time put the husked ears in transparent bags and keep at a 40 to 50° temperature until ready to use. Whether you grow yellow or white grained corn is a matter of preference as is the selection of hybrids or open pollinated, the so-called standard varieties. It is not advisable to save seed from plantings of any hybrids because there will be a reduction in yield the next year.

A pkt. of seed will plant 4 rows, each about 25 ft. in length; 1 lb. will plant 300 groups or "hills."

## 6205 Burpee's Golden Bantam O-Known to all

80 days. Deservedly America's favorite sweet corn. Ears are slender, 5½ to 6½ in. long, with 8 and only 8 rows of even, broad, moderately deep, golden kernels of the most delicious flavor. If you want a larger ear, an earlier corn, a more productive one, we have varieties for your needs, but if you want the best and sweetest for your table, it's true 8-rowed Golden Bantam. It is the most popular early corn with the home gardener and highly prized for quick freezing on the cob. The plants grow to heights between 5 and 6½ ft.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 6206 Golden Midget—Smallest, yellow ears; very early

65 days. Ears 4 to  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. long,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  in. thick with 8 rows of medium-yellow kernels that are sweet and tender. Dwarf plants 2 to 3 ft. tall. Especially recommended for the Northeast. Size of the ears is ideally suited to freezing. Pkt. 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$1.85

#### 5154 Golden Sunshine—Early, large-eared; sweet, tender

74 days. Ears 7 in. long, closely set with 10 or 12 rows of attractive golden yellow kernels. Stalks grow  $4 \frac{1}{2}$  to 5 ft. high, many carrying two ears. Excellent for the home gardener, especially in sections with cool summers and a short season. Pkt.  $20 \frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $45 \frac{1}{2}$ ; lb.  $80 \frac{1}{2}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### 5133 The Burpee O—Larger and earlier than Golden Bantam

75 days. Full of sweetness and with the same buttery flavor that has given world fame to Burpee's Golden Bantam. Big attractive ear, 6 to 7 in. long, closely set with 12 rows of large, broad, deep, rich golden yellow kernels. Gardeners everywhere praise it highly; its earliness, large size, heavy yield and superior quality have made it a general favorite; suitable for freezing. 5 to 6½ ft. stalks.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 60¢; lb. \$1.10; 2 lbs. \$2.10; 5 lbs. \$4.75

Bantam Evergreen - Discontinued; we recommend Iochief golden yellow hybrid.

# STANDARD WHITE SWEET CORN

## 5153 Burpee's White Evergreen O—Productive

90 days. 16 to 20 rows of closely set pearly white grains of luscious flavor which is retained much longer than most varieties. Ears 8 to 9 in. long; the kernels retain their paper whiteness and flavor when canned. The stalks grow to a height of 7 to 8 ft. tall. It is a splendid white, heavy yielding main-crop corn that is earlier and larger than Stowell's Evergreen.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 85¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# 5155 Country Gentleman—Shoe peg

92 days. Lusciously sweet, pure white, slender kernels with tender skin thickly fill the 7 to 8 in. ears in irregular arrangement (not in rows). Familiarly known as Shoe Peg because of the appearance of the dry grains which are thin and narrow. The strong stalks grow 7 ft. tall and often produce two ears each. General productive midseason favorite corn for the home garden, canning and freezing.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# 5152 Stowell's Evergreen—Good old standby

95 days. Holds its remarkable sweetness for quite a long time. Ears  $7 \frac{1}{2}$  to  $8 \frac{1}{2}$  in. long, with 16 to 20 rows of clear white, sweet, tender, meaty and juicy kernels of exceptional quality. Valuable for home gardens and canning. 7 to 8 ft. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# 5126 White Midget—Takes up little garden space

74 days. Ears  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 in. long, with 8 rows of white, sweet, tender, delicately flavored kernels. Dwarf plants  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 ft. tall; take up little space in the garden. Especially recommended for the Northeast; does well in southern California. Pkt.  $40 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 2 pkts.  $70 \, \text{\'e}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.10; lb. \$1.95

Black Mexican—Discontinued; we recommend Stowell's Evergreen Hybrid. Burpee's Delicious—Discontinued; we recommend Burpee's Surecross. Howling Mob-Discontinued; we recommend Burpee's White Evergreen.





# Burpee Hybrid Cucumbero

### TRUE FIRST GENERATION (F1) HYBRID CREATED ON BURPEE'S FORDHOOK SEED FARMS

6023 60 days. Burpee Hybrid is a high-class cucumber for all gardeners and all purposes. High resistance to mosaic and downy mildew are the outstanding attributes of this true, first generation (F1) hybrid, white spine, slicing type cucumber. In addition, the yielding ability of the hybrid has been greatly increased over the open pollinated varieties. Vines are extremely vigorous, long lived and bear an abundance of well formed, straight, dark green fruits of handsome appearance. They will grow 8 in. and more long, 2½ in. wide, square at both ends with medium seed cavity and crispy, white flesh of excellent quality.

Burpee Hybrid is one variety that should be planted early—as soon as possible after the soil is thoroughly warm. And, don't think you have to give up growing cucumbers if your garden is very small. Cucumbers are natural climbers and may be grown on a fence or trellis. You will be surprised at the number of fruits the Burpee Hybrid will produce.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢; 3 pkts. 90¢; ½ oz. \$1.50;

 $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.75; oz. \$4.75

NOTE: Care should be used in picking cucumbers so as not to injure the vines. Do not yank or pull them off the plant; fruits should be cut from the plants with a small part of the stem attached to the cucumber after it is removed from the vine.

Cucumbers may be harvested at almost any age depending on what purpose the fruits are intended. Different sizes may be picked at the same time, small ones for sweet pickles, larger ones for bread and butter pickles, slicing or dill pickles. Many gardeners prefer to plant the larger fruited varieties for table use and the so-called pickling types and gherkins for relishes or pickles. If you have had poor success with cucumbers, plant Burpee Hybrid. Letters from customers all over the country acclaim it as outstanding for yield, quality, color and disease resistance; many tell us we are too modest in our description. It is truly a top-notcher.

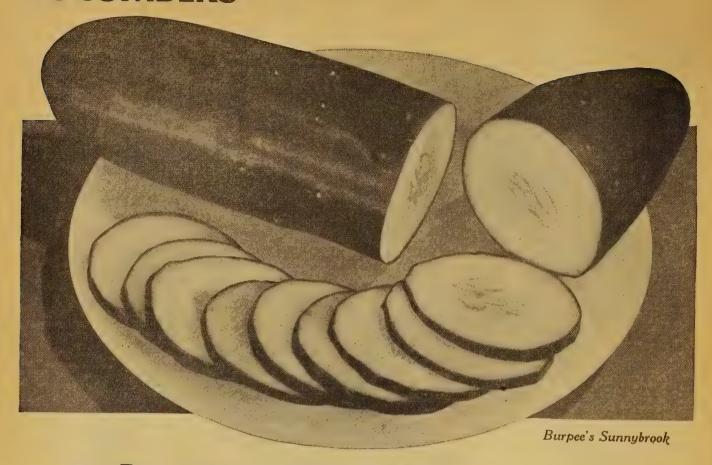


Cucumbers, sliced unpeeled, make for a more attractive salad and it has been said that if you eat them with the skin on you may not be troubled with that after-taste which some persons experience.



Burpee Hybrid Cucumber (foreground) has such high resistance to mosaic and downy mildew that it outyields the standard varieties (in background) because the vines continue to produce for a long time after others have ceased.

# **CUCUMBERS**



# 6025 Burpee's Sunnybrook ® O-Our extra dark streamliner for all purposes

60 days. Whether used for pickling when small, or for slicing when fully grown, Burpee's Sunnybrook is a valuable cucumber. It is of the long, slender, dark green, white spine type with stripes absent or inconspicuous for considerably less than ¼ its length. Fruits grow 9 to 11 in. in length and 2 to 2½ in. in diameter when mature, tapering symmetrically toward either end; flesh is firm and thick; with only a few seeds which form late in the season so that the fruits are edible over a long period. Holds its dark green color for a long time after picking.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.35; 1/2 lb. \$2.40; lb. \$4.25

#### Three of the Best Slicing and Pickling Cucumbers

Burpee Hybrid, Burpee's Extra Early White Spine,

and Fordhook Pickling

6741—SPECIAL: One pkt. of each variety,
3 pkts. in all, value 75¢ for only

# 6251 Smoothie-Well formed; dark green

66 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. The attractive fruits are very dark green, white spined, about 8 in. long, and cylindrical with slight tapering at the stem end. The flesh is crisp and white, tinged with green just under the skin, making it very attractive for salad use.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.35;
½ lb. \$2.40; lb. \$4.25

# 5014 Burpee's Extra Early White Spine - Early and prolific

55 days. Excellent for slicing when fully grown or when small for pickling. Fruits are almost cylindrical, 7 in. long and 2 ½ in. thick with a beautiful deep green skin which is practically free from ridges.

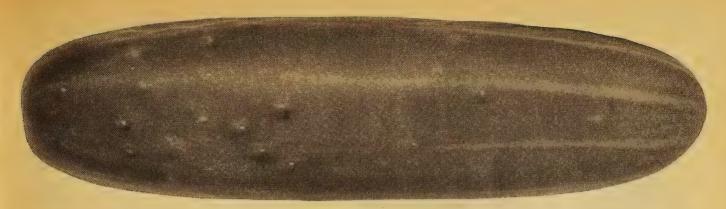
Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;
½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

# 5015 Black Diamond O-White spine

54 days. "It Stays Green." Fruits grow 6½ to 7½ in. long, 54 days. "It Stays Green." Fruits grow 6½ to 7½ In. long, 2½ to 2¾ in. across, straight, blunt ended and have a very deep green skin, the color of which is retained long after picking. The flesh is pure white, refreshing, tasty and of the finest quality. Widely used for the home garden.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.85; lb. \$3.20





Straight Eight Cucumber

#### 5029 Marketer O - All-America Winner

65 days. An extra fancy white-spined cucumber that grows 8 in. long, 2½ in. across, slender, smooth, slightly tapered to each end, dark green skin and crispy flesh. Pkt. 20¢; to each end, dark green skin and crispy flesh. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

#### 5025 Improved Long Green

60 days. Popular for ripe (yellow) cucumber pickles or slicing. Black-spined fruits 10 to 12 in. long, 3 in. thick, and more or less warted; glossy medium dark green skin and pure white, solid, tender, crisp flesh. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$3.75

## PICKLING CUCUMBERS

May also be used for slicing, except Gherkin

6254 Burpee Pickler © 53 days. Vines are vigorous with a high degree of tolerance to cucumber mosaic and therefore yield over a longer period. Burpee Pickler is an F2 black-spined pickling cucumber of early maturity; produces a very heavy yield of blocky, attractively warted fruits which can be used in all stages from small sweets to large dills. The medium green fruits have blocky shoulders and blunt tips with a length to diameter ratio of approximately 3 to 1. Flesh is thick, firm and of excellent quality. Developed on Burpee's Fordhook Farms. Pkt. 30¢; oz. 55¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$2.75; lb. \$5.00

# 6033 Straight Eight O

58 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Favorite white spine cucumber of the highest quality. Its even, deep color and symmetrical shape are outstanding characteristics; in fact it greatly resembles the large, handsome, hothouse cucumbers offered at high prices in all the better markets. At best table size, fruits are 8 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter, well rounded at the ends, dark green in color, with practically no striping at the blossom end. Valuable white spine cucumber with a very descriptive name.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢;

1/4 lb. \$1.25; 1/2 lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

#### **Explanation of White Spine and Black Spine**

Cucumbers are divided into two families, "White Spine" and "Black Spine." The spines are the miniature stickers that protrude from the warts when fruits are young. White spine cucumbers turn to a creamy white when old; black spine varieties turn to a yellowish orange when matured. Pickling cucumbers are black-spined; all others, with the exception of Improved Long Green, are white-spined.

#### **Discontinued Varieties of Cucumbers**

A & C; recommend Marketer; Burpee's Fordhook White Spine; recommend Black Diamond; Davis' Perfect and Early Fortune; recommend Straight Eight; Fordhook Famous; recommend Sunnybrook.

5012 Chicago Pickling 58 days. Enormously productive; disease resistant and a vigorous grower. The fruits are of even size, 6 to 7 in. long, 2½ in. thick, square-ended, rich dark green skin warted and ribbed at pickle size; moderately few warts when larger. Popular for years with leading pickle houses.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50 leading pickle houses.

5214 Everbearing 52 days. If the fruits are kept picked regularly, the plants will continue to bear over a longer season than many varieties. When fully grown, the fruits are 5 in. long and 2 in. thick; rich medium green. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

6037 Fordhook Pickling 56 days. Makes firm slicing or tasty dill and mustard pickles. Fruits taper at both ends and have the warts and knobs so much desired in pickles. When fully grown, the cucumbers are 8 in. long and 3 in. thick with crisp, solid flesh. Largest in common use. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$2.45; lb. \$4.25

5225 Heinz Pickling 56 days. A heavy yielder of crisp fleshed fruits. When small, they are of ideal pickling shape and dark green. If left to grow for slicing, they measure  $5\frac{1}{2}$  to  $6\frac{1}{2}$  in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 in. thick. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.25;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

5024 National Pickling © 55 days. Can be used for pickles from small sweets to large dills or sours. Do not split. Rich dark green, 6 to 7 in. long and 2 in. thick, straight, rather blunt at each end, but not chunky.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50 at each end, but not chunky.

6261 Ohio MR (Mosaic Resistant) 17 57 days. Fully grown dark green fruits of this mosaic resistant pickler are about 7 in. long and 2 in. in diameter. Good size and shape for use all the way from small sweet pickles to large dills. High yielding, vigorous vines.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

5224 West India Gherkin 60 days. Used extensively for very small pickles or relish; they have a splendid flavor. Different from all other types of cucumbers. Vines produce an astonishingly large crop of small, burr-like fruits, 2 to 3 in. long and 1 to 1½ in. thick. The bright green skin is covered with fleshy prickles.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.00; lb. \$3.50

**Yorkstate Pickling** 55 days. Ideal for both small and dill pickles. Possesses all the good qualities of National Pickling and, in addition, is highly resistant to mosaic. Vines are vigorous, prolific; fruits are dark green, well shaped, blunt ended with prominent black spines.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.25; lb. \$3.75

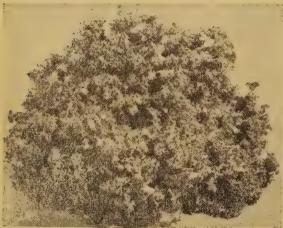


Fordhook Pickling

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Burpee's Black Beauty Eggplant



Green Curled or Giant Fringed Oyster Endive



Deep Heart Endive

May be cooked in various ways. The fruits are at their best edible stage when the skin has attained a high gloss. If used when young, the seeds will be small and hardly noticeable. Keep fruits picked off as they become ready and plants should bear until frost. A pkt. of seed will produce about 60 plants; 1 oz. 2000 plants. Days mentioned in descriptions represent the average time required from setting of plants until first fruits mature.

## 6031 Burpee's Black Beauty O

Tender and delicious at every stage

73 days. Tender and tasty at all stages of growth so they may be enjoyed over a long period. The rich, deep purplish black, smooth fruits retain their color for a long time and will grow to an enormous size. When fully developed, they are blunt and broad at the blossom end, weigh several pounds each. No spines. Pkt. 25%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 65%; oz. 95%;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.85

### 5223 Burpee Hybrid O—Excellent

70 days. More resistant to drought and disease than any commercial variety. True, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid of outstanding qualities. The plant is tall, tree-like, semi-spreading in habit, vigorous and produces continuously many fruits which are oval, medium-sized, and of a good dark purple color and

high gloss. Most fruits do not touch the ground.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 90¢;
3 pkts. \$1.25; ½ oz. \$2.25

Florida Highbush — Discontinued; we recommend Burpee's Black Beauty.

# DANDELION

5226 Thick Leaved 95 days. Large, thick leaves and dark green color make it far superior to the uncultivated plant. It is primarily used for early spring "greens".

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85

## ENDIVE

In early stages of growth leaves may have a pungent taste but later the inner leaves blanch and become sweet and tender. Used principally as a salad, but may be cooked and served with butter sauce or grated cheese; often used for garnishing. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 100 ft.

6038 Green Curled or Giant Fringed Oyster 65 days. Makes an excellent crisp and tender salad. Rich green, finely cut or laciniatted leaves which readily blanch to an appetizing creamy white in the center. Plants grow 16 to 18 in. across in good, rich garden soil.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$2.10

5027 Broad Leaved Batavian 90 days. (Full Heart Strain) May be cooked like spinach or used in soups and stews. A popular Escarolle with large, broad, slightly twisted lettuce-like leaves forming immense round plants up to 16 in. across. Heart is very deep, well-blanched, creamy white and of thick, buttery texture.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.65

6036 Deep Heart⊙ 70 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Improved Full Heart Batavian Escarolle of upright growth with an extra deep, well-filled and more compact heart which readily blanches itself to clear creamy yellow of buttery texture. Large, thick, dark green leaves with slightly curled edges. Widely grown.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.25; ½ lb. \$2.15

Garlic

## 6908 GARLIC SETS

Extra select

Garlic is the most pungent of the onion family, and is used for flavoronion family, and is used for flavoring soups, stews, sausages and salad dressings. We supply mother bulbs which are made up of several sections called cloves held together by a thin paper covering. Sets should be separated before planting.

Lb. 90¢; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

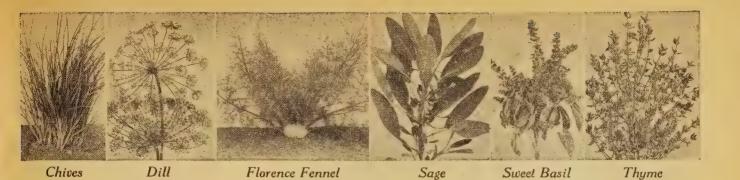
# HORSE-RADISH ROOTS

6903 **Maliner Kren** The true Bohemian Horse-Radish, well known for its vigorous growth and large-sized white roots. We offer small sets or roots of the right planting size.

6 roots for 55¢; 12 for \$1.00;

50 for \$3.35; 250 roots or more @ \$34.00 per 1000;

2000 or more @ \$33.00 per 1000



# HERBS—Aromatic, Medicinal and Kitchen

Herbs belong in every vegetable garden and, because of their ornamental appearance, may also be grown in the flower garden.

6147 Anise 75 days. Annual. 1½ ft. Used for garnishing and flavoring; the seeds have an aromatic flavor and are used in cakes, bread, applesauce, stews, soups, cream or cottage cheese and other foods.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.10

6146 Basil, Sweet 85 days. Annual. 1½ to 2 ft. The leaves, green or dried, are chiefly used as a seasoning for soups, stews, fish sauces, vinegar, beans, peas, omelets, salad and meats.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

6148 Borage 80 days. Annual. 1½ ft. The young tender leaves are used as salad and are also added to flavor lemonade and other cooling drinks. Faintly aromatic. Splendid as a forage for bees. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20

6141 Caraway 70 days. Biennial,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 ft. Seeds are used for flavoring bread, pastry, cakes, confections, cheese, sauces, soups, etc.; young leaves and shoots may be used to flavor salads.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

6142 Catnip or Catmint 80 days. Perennial. 1½ to 2 ft. The green or dry leaves are used for seasoning and as tea for nervous headaches. Excellent tonic for animals.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35

6143 Chives 80 days. Perennial. 6 in. Tops, finely cut, are used for giving a mild onion-like flavor to soups, stews, meats, cottage cheese, potatoes and also used in salads. Plants grow in clusters. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35

6149 Coriander 75 days. Annual. 1 to 2 ft. The green leaves are used in soups, stews and sauces; the dried seeds in meats, sausage, sauces, pickles, poultry filling, confectionery and pastry.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢ fectionery and pastry.

6144 Dill 70 days. Annual. 2 to 2½ ft. The green leaves are nice for flavoring soups, stews and sauces; also used extensively in a minced state with lettuce. Dry or green branches and seeds are much prized for flavoring dill pickles and making dill vinegar. Very easily grown, popular herb of strong aromatic odor.

Pkt. 256: 27.406: 1/. lb 956 Pkt. 25¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. 95¢

6157 Fennel, Florence Also known as Finocchio. 90 days. Annual.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. Enlarged, flat-oval leaf base has a pleasing anise-like flavor. Inner sections may be cut in thin slices and used in salads or eaten raw like celery; outer parts and stems should be peeled, cut crosswise into inch pieces and boiled, making a pleasing, nourishing vegetable dish.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 95¢

6158 **Horehound**75 days. Perennial. 14 in. Leaves are used for seasoning and in candy or medicine Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15

6154 Lavender, True  $^{60}$  days. Perennial. 2 ft. tall. Flowers are dried and placed in the linen closet to impart their perfume to the linens. Also used as a repellent to moths. Sweet scented, light lavender-blue flowers. Pkt.  $25 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $^{1} \! /_{2}$  oz. \$1.65; oz. \$2.85

Parsley—see page 88.

6153 Sage 75 days. Perennial. 1 to 2 ft. Used as a seasoning for poultry, sausage, other meats, dressings, fillings, stews, soups, fish chowders and sauces; leaves may be used either fresh or dried.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 80¢; oz. \$1.40

6151 Summer Savory  $^{60}$  days. Annual. 1 ft. Chiefly used for flavoring salads, dressings, stews and gravies. Pkt. 25¢;  $^{1}$ /<sub>2</sub> oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15

6152 **Sweet Marjoram** 70 days. Annual. 1 to 2 ft. Nice for seasoning, either fresh or dried in soups, stews, meat pies, salads, sausages and in flavoring peas and beans.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

6156 **Thyme** 85 days. Perennial. 6 to 12 in. high. Has aromatic foliage which is used for seasoning soups, stews, gravies, sauces, meat loaf and poultry dressings.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.80

# 4 Popular Kitchen Herbs

Chives, Dill, Sage and Sweet Basil

6731 — SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these four favorite herbs, 4 pkts. in all, value \$1.00 for only

KALE—An excellent vitamin-rich green leafy vegetable

Widely used for "boiling greens." Young leaves may be chopped raw like lettuce for salads and sandwiches. Light frost seems to improve the flavor. Kale, with a little protection, usually stands the average winter. A pkt. of seed will sow 30 ft. of row, 1 oz. 200 ft.

**6035 Blue Curled Scotch** 55 days. Low growing, compact, short-stemmed plants with finely curled, bluish green leaves of delicious flavor. Plants grow 12 to 18 in. tall with a spread of 16 to 24 in. Widely grown. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$2.25; lb. \$3.65

5231 **Dwarf Siberian** 65 days. Very hardy, dwarf, spreading kale with broad, thick, grayish green plume-like leaves, plain at center and slightly frilled at edges. Plants 12 to 16 in. tall with spread of 24 to 36 in. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.90; lb. \$3.45

# KOHLRABI

Cooked kohlrabi may be served with butter, salt and pepper, or with sour cream or white sauce. When young, may be chilled and served raw. Edible portion is a large bulb produced on the stem above the ground and which, if used when young, 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  in. across, are more delicate in flavor and texture. The crisp, tender flesh has a very mild, sweet turnip-like flavor. A pkt. of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft.

6032 Early White Vienna 55 days. Skin is light green and very smooth; the flesh is creamy white, tender and of a delicate mild flavor. Suitable for freezing. Dwarf growing plants with small, short leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.45

**5234 Early Purple Vienna** 60 days. "Apple-like" bulbs are a purplish color and the flesh is an attractive greenish white. Matures five days later than White Vienna but otherwise resembles it in tenderness and fine quality; the bulbs usually grow a trifle larger than Early White Vienna. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢; ¼ lb. \$2.45



Blue Curled Scotch Kale

O If in doubt as to which varieties of vegetables to grow, make your selection from those marked with the ⊙



75 days. Burpeeana Lettuce is delicious with just about the finest flavor you have ever tasted.

Burpeeana heads are small, ideal for serving as individual salads Leaves are loosely folded, outer ones dark green, at times slightly tinged or marked with brown; inside blanches to golden yellow. Always crisp and without any bitter ness-even the outer leaves retain their crispness and delicate, appetizing flavor for a long time.

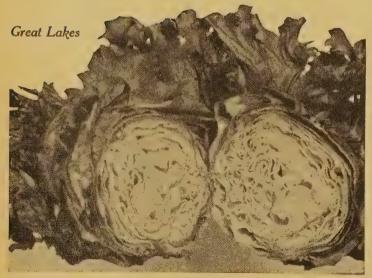
Burpeeana is a highly recommended butterhead lettuce that every home gardener should grow for early spring and fall use. You will miss a treat if you don't. Pkt. 35%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.90

#### 3 Extra Good Burpee Lettuce

Burpeeana (Butterhead), Iceberg (Crisp-head) and Burpee Greenhart (Loosehead)

6671 - SPECIAL: One pkt. of each, value 80¢ for only

# Crisp-head LETTUCE



Crisp-head lettuce forms well-folded heads of crisp, brittle texture and, where the plants are grown singly at a suitable distance apart, they make very large, round, firm heads which are blanched silvery white or creamy yellow in the center. Will stand more heat than the butterheads.

## 6051 Burpee's Iceberg O

85 days. The heads are compact, not too large, and have few outer leaves and most delicious, crisp, tender hearts blanched to a silvery white even under average garden conditions. Leaves are light green, wavy, fringed and heavily savoyed with edges tinged light brown. Iceberg is exceedingly vigorous and hardy so that it will withstand some hot weather conditions; it is well suited to Eastern and Midwestern growing conditions. This is the original Burpee Iceberg lettuce and should not be confused with the New York and Imperial types which are commonly called Iceberg in the produce and shipping trade.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

## 6057 Imperial No. 847

84 days. Stands hot weather with nearly as much ability to head under unfavorable conditions as Imperial 44. The head is larger and deeper and it retains its fine quality and appetizing appearance for a long time. Excellent heat-resistant strain.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

### 6053 Great Lakes O

All-America Bronze Medal Winner

90 days. Heavy, glistening, crackling, crisp, wellfolded heads of extra good quality, fine flavor and brittle texture. Exceptionally choice, large, dark green fringed lettuce, especially valuable as a summer variety because it stands up well in warm weather. Popular with home gardeners as it succeeds under a wide range of adverse conditions.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ½ lb. \$2.50

# 5022 Premier Great Lakes

80 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Heads solid, practically round; leaves trifle lighter green, the ones somewhat flattened, smooth without fringed margins. Highly resistant to tipburn and heat. A week or more earlier than Great Lakes lettuce.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

#### 6138 Pennlake

80 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. An attractive head lettuce of excellent quality. Smaller head, less ribby with less finely cut edges than Great Lakes. Outer leaves are dark green, resistant to tip-burn; inside leaves are crisp and firm. Withstands heat. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

## 5021 **New York No. 12**

85 days. Large green heads of excellent quality; heavily curled and savoyed leaves with blanched, silvery white, tightly folded heart. Stands heat well. May be grown outdoors for spring, summer and early fall use. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

New York No. 515—Discontinued; we recommend New York No. 12.

# 6055 Imperial No. 44 **②**

84 days. Usually a sure header, even during warm weather. To date, Imperial 44 is the most dependable crisp-head lettuce for the East. Heads medium large, slightly flattened, extremely compact, well-formed, with dark green, heavily savoyed, tender leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50 Loosehead LETTUCE

The best type for home garden use, especially where summers are hot. Long season with high nutritional value. They make a large, round, thick bunch of leaves which are blanched to a light green or creamy yellow in the center of the plant. The leaves are attractive in appearance, tender and of delightful crispness and mild flavor. Also splendid to provide an extra-early supply of delicious salad for, when just a few inches tall, the thinnings may be used for the table.

### 6045 Black-Seeded Simpson

45 days. Grows quickly, is early and of extra fine quality. Splendid non-heading or cutting lettuce with broad, light green, frilled and crumpled outer leaves; center leaves blanch almost white. Texture is brittle and crisp; flavor is delicate and appetizing.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.20

#### 6056 Bronze Beauty

40 days. Leaves are very tender of unusually fine butterlike flavor, sharply cut, dark green tinged with bronze. Long standing, compact grower; resistant to hot weather; easy to grow; uniform.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ½ lb. \$2.25

#### 5023 Early Prizehead — Crisp

45 days. One of the most popular varieties, producing large, tender, loose heads of bright green, curled and crimped leaves which are heavily shaded with brownish red. Excellent flavor and quality.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35

#### 6043 Grand Rapids—Popular

45 days. Widely grown non-heading lettuce with intensely fringed and curled leaves. Regular sowing will give an abundance of young, tender leaves very early in the season, but if the plants are spaced 12 in. apart each way, they will produce round masses of sweet, brittle, light green leaves.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.35

#### 6052 Oak Leaf-Shaped like oak leaves

40 days. Forms a tight bunch or rosette of medium green leaves which are deeply lobed, with the end lobe elongated, giving the plant a spiky appearance. Extremely tender, long standing and of excellent quality. Withstands heat to a remarkable degree. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 60¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

Early Curled Simpson—Discontinued; we recommend Black-Seeded Simpson.



# 6058 Burpee Greenhart ® O

45 days. This special strain of Grand Rapids stands longer before bolting to seed; leaves are lighter green, the margins finely frilled and deeply cut. The tender, sweet and crispy leaves are popular with gardeners during spring, early summer and fall.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

# 5256 Ruby—All-America Bronze Medal Winner

47 days. The bright green frilled leaves, prominently shaded with intense red, makes this crisp lettuce a delight to the eye and the palate. In addition to its attractiveness it is sweet and succulent.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. \$1.50; ½ lb. \$4.50

#### 6042 Salad Bowl O—Resists heat

45 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Decidedly crisp and tender. Large, medium-green, slow bolting, non-heading, differing in appearance from all other varieties in that the leaves are deeply lobed, giving the mature plant a resemblance to endive.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 6048 Slobolt - Long standing; tender

45 days. Withstands midsummer temperatures and is very slow to go to seed. Foliage is light green, savoyed with waved and heavily frilled edges.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.15 heavily frilled edges.

# **Butterhead LETTUCE**

#### 5028 Big Boston—Popular variety

83 days. Heads particularly well during cool weather of early summer and fall. Medium large, compact heads, the outer leaves being light green, smooth, with slight reddish brown tinge at the edges; heart is crisp, tender and blanches to light golden yellow of appetizing appearance.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15

## 6046 White Boston O-No red tinge

80 days. The solid heart blanches to a bright creamy yellow of high quality and fine texture. The large heads are tightly folded over the top. Outer leaves are of a uniform light green entirely free from brown markings or reddish tinge. Used extensively for home gardens. Seed is white.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.35

Bibb—Discontinued; we recommend Burpeeana.

# **Burpee's CELTUCE**

5206 Combines the uses of CELery and LetTUCE. Truly delicious. Young leaves have four times the vitamin C content of head-lettuce leaves. Belongs to the lettuce family but has more uses. When plants are young, the leaves may be used as lettuce or as boiling "greens," but its chief value is the heart of the central stem or stalk which may be eaten raw or cooked.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.30

Butterhead lettuce develops well-folded heads of good form and resembles a small cabbage in appearance. The heart is tightly folded and blanches to a light golden or buttery yellow. In hot weather sections, they may not head as readily as the crisp-head varieties but will grow rapidly and produce tender, tasty leaves of delicious flavor. Lettuce grows best during the cool seasons of the year A pkt. of seed will sow 50 ft. of row; 1 oz. 300 ft.

# 6041 Burpee's Wayahead O

77 days. Heads well under adverse conditions, making it a favorite first early for home gardens. Medium size with shiny, bright green, savoyed foliage and few outer leaves. The heart is creamy yellow; sweet, crisp and tender.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

#### 5238 Deer Tongue—Unusual type

80 days. Attractive green heads of excellent quality, with a thick, succulent mid-rib. Leaves are oblong to triangular in shape with rounded tip, slightly savoyed. Fully grown plants are of compact, upright growth, 12 in. across, 6 to 7 in. high. Withstands hot weather; plants slow to bolt.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 70¢; ½ lb. \$2.00

# COS or ROMAINE LETTUCE

5035 Paris White 83 days. (Light Green) Much esteemed for its fresh crispness and sweet yet piquant flavor. Distinctive from other lettuce, the head being upright, tightly folded, about 10 in. tall with medium green outer leaves and greenish white interior with endive-like flavor. Needs no tying in order to blanch the heart.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 55¢; ¼ lb. \$1.35

Dark Green Cos—Discontinued; we recommend Paris White.

Burpee Seeds Grow and are the Best that Grow



Burpee's Fordhook Fancy Mustard

# MUSTARD GREENS

Highly nutritive green leafy vegetable of mildly pungent flavor. May be used in mixed salads or cooked for "greens".

A pkt. of seed will sow 50 ft. of row; oz. 200 ft

5265 Burpee's Fordhook Fancy ⊙ 40 days. Deeply curled and fringed dark green leaves curving backward like ostrich plumes. Of mild flavor; popular for "greens" or salads. Stands a long time before bolting.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.40

5261 Florida Broad Leaf 43 days. Especially desirable for greens because of the ease of preparing the smooth leaves, which are large, broad and smooth, medium green with distinct, flattened greenish white midrib.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 85¢

6256 Green Wave 42 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. A long standing, slow bolting mustard, the broad, rich dark green leaves of which are curled and frilled along the edges. A heavy yielding variety.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

5038 Southern Giant Curled 40 days. Popular curled mustard for spring or fall planting. The bright green leaves are of a pleasing, mild flavor. They are large, moderately broad, fringed and curled at margins.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 85¢

5264 Tendergreen 35 days. Rapid growing mustard with large, broad, thick, dark green leaves which when cooked have a delicious, spinach flavor. Heavy cropper; long standing. Heat and drought resistant.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

# MUSHROOM

**Pure Culture** 

6910 Tobacco Stem Spawn

Crumbled Tobacco Stem Spawn is the latest development in the production of Pure Culture Mushroom Spawn. The material is easier to handle, the growth is more vigorous, and results are more certain. Adverse growing conditions are more readily overcome, as the tobacco stem medium is high in food elements needed by the growing mushroom. One package will plant 10 to 12 sq. ft. Cultural directions with every package, 75¢ per package; 5 pkgs. \$3.00; 10 pkgs. \$5.00



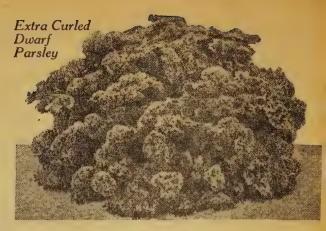
Oyster Plant

# OYSTER PLANT

or **SALSIFY** 

6098 Sandwich Island Mammoth 120 days. Delicious when made cious when made into soup, pancakes, fritters, diced or mashed; may also be cooked, chilled and served as a salad. Flavor is not unlike that of oysters; flesh is creamy white. Roots grow 8 in. and more in length, 1 to 1½ in. in diameter at shoulder, slightly tapering, clean cut and uniform. They are hardy and some may be left in the ground over winter for early spring use. For winter use, dig roots in the fall and store in moist sand in a cool cellar. Best roots are grown on rather cellar. Best roots are grown on rather light soil. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; an oz. 100 ft.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 40¢;
oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25



# PARSLEY

Have parsley all the year round. It is easy to grow in the garden in either sun or shade or in pots during winter. A border planting in the flower garden is decorative as well as useful. Mostly used green for garnishing and seasoning. The leaves may be dried and kept in air-tight bottles for winter use. A pkt. of seed will sow about 30 ft. of row; an oz. 200 ft.

6073 Extra Curled Dwarf © 85 days. Also known as Emerald. Compact plants with finely cut and curled, moss-like leaves of dark green that is a most attractive color.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

6071 Paramount 85 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Most uniformly "triple" curled parsley with unusually rich dark green leaves; stems are tall and stout. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.00

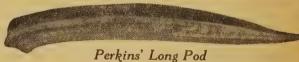
5285 Plain or Single 72 days. Plain, dark green, deeply cut, flat but not curled leaves with rich flavor. Largely used for flavoring.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ½ lb. \$1.00

5283 Parsnip-Rooted or Hamburg 90 days. Principally grown for the thick, parsnip-like roots the white flesh of which is used for flavoring soups, stews, etc. like celery or celeriac. The slender roots grow 6 in. and more long and about 2 in. thick around the neck.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 85¢





# OKRA

The pods are valuable for cutting up in soups, stews, catsup and other relishes. Also used as a vegetable. Pods must be picked when young, before they become too large. A pkt. of seed will sow 15 ft. of row; one oz. 50 ft. of row.

5034 Clemson Spineless © 56 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Dark green slightly grooved, straight, pointed pods, 7 to 9 in. long, without spines. 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 75¢

5263 Dwarf Green Long Pod 52 days. Pods ribbed, pointed, fleshy, dark green, 7 to 8 in. long and 1 in. across. Grows 2 to 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

6077 Perfected Perkins' Long Pod 55 days. Slightly ribbed, dark green, pointed pods, 7 to 8 in. long. Grows 3 to 4 ft. tall. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 75¢

Louisiana Green Velvet—Discontinued; we recommend Clemson Spineless.

## PEANUTS - Top ranking protein foods



Jumbo Virginia Peanut

It's fun to grow your own peanuts. Roasted peanuts, salted peanuts, peanut butter and peanut candies are well known to all of us. Have you ever tried them baked as you would beans? Leave skins on or take them off; they are, however, more palatable if

A pkt. of seed will sow from 15 to 25 ft. of row; 1 lb. from 100 to 200 ft. depending on whether you plant shelled nuts or hulls.

6215 Jumbo Virginia o 120 days. Most productive, extra large peanut of rich flavor, with 2 or 3 large kernels to the pod. In great demand. Vines spread 3½ ft. across. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢

6216 **Spanish** 110 days. Kernels are small and very sweet. The dwarf bushes grow close, so are easily cultivated and gathered. Early and a heavy bearer. Widely grown. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢



If you are not thoroughly posted as to which varieties of vegetables to choose as the most suitable for your particular section, we suggest that you make your selection from those marked with the bull's eye, They have been found reliable under varying conditions.

## **PARSNIPS**

Tender and delicious late in the fall especially after a frost which adds sweetness to the flavor. A favorite way to serve parsnips is to parboil them, turn gently in brown sugar and butter so as to glaze them to an appetizing reddish gold and to serve them alone or with broiled ham.

Roots may be stored for winter use, or some may be left in the ground and dug whenever you can get into the soil dur-ing the winter or early the following spring. Roots are not injured by freez-ing and the cold does improve the flavor. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; an oz. 200 ft.

5284 All American 95 days. Flesh is white, with small core, tender, fine flavor and superb quality. Roots are smooth, slender, almost white, of medium length, broad shouldered and exceptionally free from side rootlets.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15

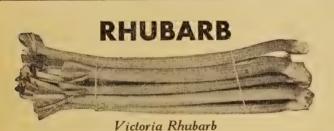
6075 **Guernsey** ⊙ 100 days. Fine grained, tender, sugary flesh of delicate flavor. Skin is light in color and quite smooth. Roots grow 12 in. long, 3 in. across at the shoulder tapering gradually to the tip. Hollow crowned.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15

5033 Hollow Crown Long smooth—longer than Guernsey but not so broad. Does best in deeply prepared soil. Fully developed roots are 15 in. long and 2¾ in. thick at shoulder and remarkably free from side roots; flesh is fine-grained, white and of good quality. Heavy yielder.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢





The succulent stems of rhubarb make an appetizing dessert, either stewed or in pies. Never use rhubarb leaves for food purposes. Red-stalked rhubarbs are sweeter and make a sauce that is more beautiful and more delicious than the usual commercial rhubarb. All varieties are prized for canning as well as freezing. In gathering rhubarb stalks, select the larger ones growing on the outside of plant, grasp them firmly near the base and with a slight sideways twist, pull them from the crown.

# 5308 Victoria Rhubarb from SEED

Stalks are broad, thick, tender, green shaded with red and of a pleasing tart flavor. Heavy yielder, strong, upright grower and reliably hardy. From seed sown this spring, usable stalks will be ready two years hence; for quicker results plant roots. A pkt. of seed will sow 10 ft. of row; oz. 75 ft. of row.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.60

# RHUBARB ROOTS

Planted in early spring, roots will furnish a moderate cutting of stalks the next spring; regular cuttings thereafter. All varieties are prized for canning as well as freezing.

6914 MacDonald Stalks are of very fine quality, excellent flavor, and brilliant red color; the skin is tender and peeling is not required. Sauces or pies have a pleasing, rich pink color. 2 roots for \$1.60; 5 for \$3.75; 10 for \$6.80

6918 Valentine Stalks are of an attractive, deep red color, 18 to 22 in. long, 1 to 1½ in. broad and 1 in. thick. They are of deliciously sweet flavor and of supreme quality.

2 roots for \$1.90; 5 for \$4.50; 10 for \$8.50

6912 Victoria Broad, thick, tender green stalks shaded with red. It has a delicious, pleasing tart flavor.

2 roots for 90¢; 5 for \$2.15; 10 for \$3.80;
25 roots or more @ 30¢ each;
250 roots or more @ 25¢ each

All shipped prepaid anywhere in the U.S.

# SORREL

5309 Narrow Leaved 60 days. Excellent in salads, for flavoring soups, or it may be cooked like spinach. Leaves are long, bright green with bitter-sweet flavor. Cutting may begin in about two months after sowing the seed. Being hardy, plants will continue to produce leaves for 3 or 4 years.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ 20. 55¢; oz. 95¢

# SUNFLOWER

For chicken feed as well as being ornamental

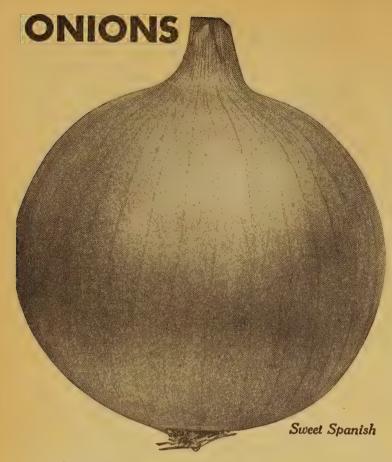
6111 **Mammoth Russian** 80 days. The striped seeds are plump, well filled with meat, and have a thin shell; make valuable food for poultry. Stalks are quite tall and they are excellent for backgrounds or screens. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.15

# Greenleaf Vegetables For Winter Use

Greens and salads are highly beneficial to health as they are good sources of minerals and are also rich in vitamins. They are easily grown, very palatable, and may be had in a wide range of flavors from the piquant tang of endive to the mild taste of lettuce. Combinations of greens and salads are highly desirable and pleasing.

"Greens" grow best during the cool seasons of the year. In addition to spring plantings, you should plan to sow again in mid- or late summer for fall use or later where winters are not too severe.

Lettuce, the brittle, tender leaves of the crisp and loosehead types; Endive, the refreshing flavor of the curled or the tangy taste of the Batavian Escarolle; these are the universal favorites. Then, there is Chinese Cabbage with its delicate celery-lettuce flavor, and for many weeks after frost you can use the regular Cabbage. Others include Broccoli, with its rich green, sprouting heads; Brussels Sprouts, whose flavor seems to improve after a light frost as does Kale; Chives, with its mild onion-like flavor; Bunching Onions for green scallions; Leeks, sweet flavored, thick stems; Collards, good boiling green with cabbage-like flavor; corn Salad, well known Lamb's Lettuce; Mustard Greens, splendid for salad or cooked like spinach; Parsley, a "must" in every garden, for garnishing or dried for use as flavoring; Spinach, frosty nights improve the color; Swiss Chard, popular for boiling greens as is Spinach Beet; Turnip Greens, use the Foliage variety, leaves have a mild flavor when cooked like spinach.



# 5274 White Sweet Spanish Utah Strain

110 days. Its large size, small neck, and attractive, deep globular appearance make it a favorite sweet, round, glistening white onion, the flesh of which is pearl-white, of mild flavor, solid and crisp. Identical with the original Sweet Spanish in every way except the color of the skin which is pure white.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

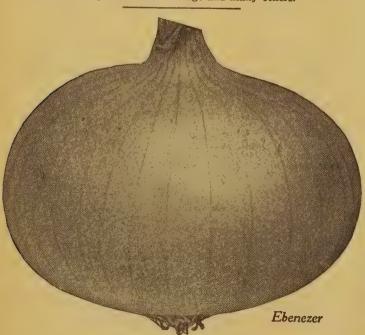
# 5279 Burpee Sweet Spanish Hybrid O

110 days. The exceptional uniformity and high yield of this first generation (F1) hybrid make it most outstanding. Onions are huge, globular, with light yellowish skin and crisp, creamy white flesh of mild flavor. A fine transplant type that also performs well when it is used for direct seeding outdoors.

Pkt. (400 seeds) 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.75; ¼ lb. \$4.25

Many of Today's Finest Vegetables

were first named and introduced by Burpee. Just to mention a few
—Burpee's Blue Bantam Peas, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod Bush
Bean, Burpee's Fordhook Bush Lima, Golden Bantam Sweet Corn,
Burpee's Copenhagen Market Cabbage and many others.



# 6076 Sweet Spanish O **UTAH STRAIN**

110 days. Very large, globe-shaped, exceptionally mild, fine grained and sweet—excellent when cooked or for use in salads or other ways without cooking. They are remarkably uniform, have light yellow skin and pure white, firm, crisp, tasty flesh. Under proper growing conditions, will measure 4 to 6 in. across. Although onions of this type will not keep so long in storage as Yellow Globe Danvers, Southport or Ebenezer, Utah Sweet Spanish will stand shipping and storage for short periods better than the Bermuda varieties. In sections where summers are short, seed is usually started early.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 5273 Early Yellow Globe

100 days. Beautiful globe-shaped, deep yellow skinned onion with clear white flesh of mild flavor. Early, uniform, solid, and large; an enormous cropper and a good

keeper due to the thick, tight skin of the bulbs.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

# 5275 Southport Yellow Globe O

115 days. Flesh is fine grained, creamy white, fairly strong flavor, solid, and juicy; skin is bright golden yellow. Onions are deep globular, with rather full shoulder and a thin, slender neck. Uniform in size, shape, color, and quality. Good keeper; cures easily. Pkt. 15¢; ½ oz. 40¢; oz. 75¢; ¼ lb. \$2.15

#### 5287 White Portugal (Silver Skin)

100 days. Large, flat, white onion with firm, fine grained flesh of mild and pleasing flavor. Used for bunching or "green" onions, or for pickling before they are fully grown; desirable for fall storage. Dependable.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 5266 Yellow Bermuda

95 days. Extremely mild, juicy white flesh; onions are medium-sized, flattened, with light straw-yellow skin. Yellow Bermuda is fine for home and early market.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

# 5036 Ebenezer O-Extra good keeper

105 days. One of the best winter keepers, remaining in good, hard condition until spring. Bulbs are a flattened globe, 2 1/2 to 3 in. or more across when well grown, yellowish brown skin with firm yellowish white flesh of exceptionally mild flavor. Grown extensively for sets because of good keeping quality and heavy yield.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

Don't deprive yourself of the Best Seeds that Grow; order today from Burpee's nearest to you.

# LEEK

Sweet, subtle flavor

6047 Broad London Also known as Large American Flag. 130 days. Belongs to the onion family, but has a decidedly sweet flavor. The long, thick, blanched necks may be used alone or as a thick puree of green peas and leeks; also highly prized for use in soups, stews, or creamed. The quality of leeks may be improved by drawther arth up around the plants after they are well grown to blanch as you would celery. A pkt. of seed will sow 25 ft. of row; ½ oz. 100 ft. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 50¢; oz. 90¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50



Broad London Leek

5276 Burpee Yellow Globe Hybrid Onion⊙ \

First yellow globe hybrid offered commercially to gardeners

102 days. A sensational, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid onion outstanding for earliness, uniformity, high yield and exceptional keeping quality. Onions are globular, smooth, 3 to 3½ in. across, with light golden skin and sweet, succulent, fine grained yellowish white flesh that is mildly pungent.

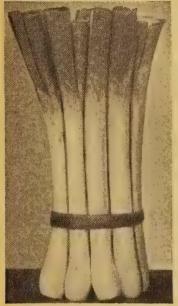
Pkt. (400 seeds)  $50 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $95 \, \text{¢}$ ;

oz. \$1.75;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.25

### 5268 Crystal White Wax—Delicate flavor

95 days. An attractive early onion of the Bermuda type; quite flat in shape, sweet and mild flavor; medium-large with clear white skin and waxy white flesh. Most popular in the South, especially in Texas, where it grows much larger than in the North. This variety is not recommended for winter storage.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

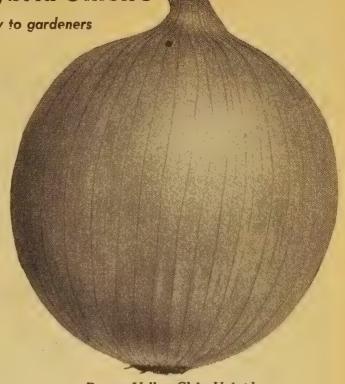


Evergreen Bunching

### 6072 Evergreen **Long White** Bunching

120 days. Seeds sown in the spring or summer will provide mild, green scallions late in the fall or, if wintered over, very early the following spring. Although hardy, the young plants will need protection in sections where winters are severe. Grown for its long, slender, silvery white stalks which are produced in clusters and used for green bunching onions or scallions. Does not form bulbs. For flavoring, you may use young plants 60 days after sowing seed.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 55¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.00



Burpee Yellow Globe Hybrid

#### 5277 Red Wethersfield—Large around

105 days. Flesh is white, lightly tinged with pinkish rose near the skin; flavor is strong. Onions are large, flattened, with deep rich purplish red, smooth, glossy skin. An onion that is unexcelled if red onions are wanted.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 5031 Yellow Globe Danvers

105 days. A great favorite because it is productive and a good winter keeper. Onions are medium-size, globular, light golden brown, smooth, firm and uniform. Flesh is yellowish white and of strong flavor. Yellow Globe Danvers are grown in quantity for production of sets.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.50

#### 3 Extra Choice Onions

Sweet Spanish, White Portugal and Yellow Globe Danvers

6611-SPECIAL: One pkt, of each, value 60¢ for only

Gigantic Gibraltar — Discontinued; we recommend Sweet Spanish.

Prizetaker-Discontinued; we recommend Sweet Spanish.

**Southport Red Globe** — Discotinued; we recommend Red Wethersfield. Discon-

**Southport White Globe** — Discontinued; we recommend White Sweet Spanish.



# ONION SETS

Burpee's sets are of the best quality, carefully screened and stored at the proper temperature until they are sent to you. They should be planted as early in the spring as the soil can be worked. Desirable for green or bunching onions quite early in the season. They will produce large onions if left to fully mature. One pound of onion sets will plant 50 ft. of row.

6905 Yellow These sets will mature into large, handsome, flattened, globe-shaped onions with yellowish brown skin and firm, yellowish white, mild flesh. Fully matured onions from yellow sets are reliable keepers for winter storing.

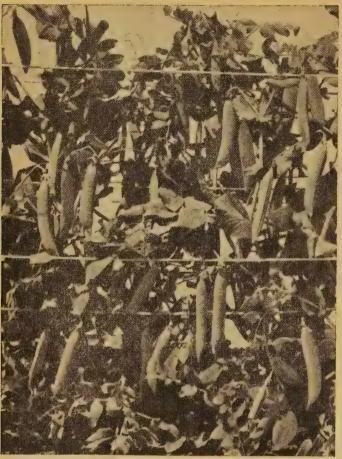
Lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25

6906 White Produce large, silvery white onions with fine grained flesh of mild and pleasing flavor. Excellent for pickling when small as well as green or bunching onions. Mature white onions will keep for some time in good condition.

Lb. 55¢; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.45

For flavoring salads, raw or cooked vegetables, soups, sauces, stews, etc., or served as a separate vegetable, onions are universally popular. A large selection of varieties from which to choose—round or flat in shape, mild or fairly strong in flavor, and white, yellow or red colored skin although the flesh of all is white. You may pull green onions as needed before the bulb enlarges or large onions after bulbs are formed. Fully matured onions may be kept for winter storing. Some varieties are better than others for this purpose as explained in the description. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 200 ft.

# Extra Sweet Early PEAS



Burpeeana Early-Note the heavy yield of well-filled pods

## 6222 Burpeeana Early O

Heavy yielder of highest quality peas

63 days. Burpee's extremely prolific, early, deliciously sweet all-purpose dwarf pea. Pods, 3 to 3½ in. long, straight, slightly curved at tip and tightly filled with 8 to 10 medium to large, sweet, tender peas of excellent quality. Retain color and flavor when quick frozen. Vines grow 18 to 24 in. tall and bear profusely. Gardeners throughout the country have written us most favorably of the excellent results they have obtained with Burpeeana Early pea. A "must" for your garden.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 55¢; lb. 95¢;

2 lbs. \$1.80; 5 lbs. \$4.25

#### **Best Three Early Dwarf Growing Peas**

Burpeeana Early, Burpee's Blue Bantam and Little Marvel

6722-SPECIAL: One pkt. each, value 65¢ for

6732—SPECIAL: ½ lb. each, value \$1.45 for \$1.25 6742 - SPECIAL: 1 lb. each, value \$2.55 for

#### Extra Sweet Green Peas

Seeds of the sweetest peas are wrinkled when dried and are commonly referred to as wrinkled seeded. They, both early and main crop varieties, are favored for eating garden fresh, quick freezing and canning because of their extra sweetness and better quality. Burpeeana Early is strongly recommended for its yield and flavor; Burpee's Blue Bantam and Thos. Laxton for larger peas. For main crop, Fordhook Wonder is best. All are delicious. A pkt. of peas will sow 20 ft. of single row; 1 lb. 100 ft.

# 6223 Burpee's Blue Bantam O

64 days. There is no better, sweeter, more delicious pea than Burpee's Blue Bantam-large, dark green pods, fine quality, heavy yield, medium early, and long bearing. Pods are 4 in. long, very dark green, pointed and rather slender, containing 7 to 9 large, sweet, deep green peas of a distinctly superior flavor; excellent for freezing. It is early enough to make a crop in practically all parts of the country if planted in proper season. The vines grow 15 to 18 in. tall. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5173 Freezonian—Wilt-resistant

63 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Dark green, blunt pods,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, filled with 7 or 8 luscious deep green, sweet and tender peas. Excellent for quick freezing as the tender, clinging skin does not peel or loosen. Very productive; exceptionally fine quality. Grows 2½ ft. tall. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 6225 Little Marvel O—Heavy vielding

63 days. Dark green, nearly round, square-ended pods, 3 in. long, tightly packed with 7 or 8 large, deep green peas of the most delicious flavor. Good for freezing. 18 in. tall.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢;
2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5172 Nott's Excelsior—Favorite dwarf

62 days. The plump straight pods are 3 in. long, bluntended and thickly filled with 5 to 7 round peas of a deliciously sweet and delicate flavor. Vines 12 to 16 in. tall and extremely prolific. Pkt.  $20 \c t$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $45 \c t$ ; lb.  $80 \c t$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5176 Progress No. 9—Early, wilt-resistant

60 days. The earliest long podded pea;  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, filled with 7 to 9 peas of the most delicious flavor. Vines grow 20 in. tall and are highly resistant to fusarium wilt.

Pkt.  $20 \, \dot{\varepsilon}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, lb$ .  $45 \, \dot{\varepsilon}$ ; lb.  $80 \, \dot{\varepsilon}$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# 6221 Thos. Laxton O—Heavy yielder

65 days. An early high quality, all-purpose pea. Always a heavy cropper; in some seasons it outyields many of the larger podded varieties. Pods 3½ in. long, broad, straight, well-filled, dark green with square ends. Each pod contains 7 to 9 large, tender peas of the finest flavor. Its adaptability to grow under widely different conditions truly marvelous and adds much to its popularity. Pods and peas retain their color for a long time. 2½ to 3 ft.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢;

2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# 6226 Wando O-Stands hot weather

68 days. Bred for tolerance to heat and cold. Pods are dark green, blunt and well filled with 7 or 8 tender, medium size peas of fine quality for fresh use, canning and freezing. The vigorous and prolific vines grow  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft. tall.

Pkt.  $20\xi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $45\xi$ ; lb.  $80\xi$ ;
2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# 5175 World's Record—Early strain

63 days. Favorite tall growing, early, large-podded pea. Vines grow about 3 ft. tall and bear an enormous crop of pods  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. long, nearly straight, pointed at the tip, medium green, and hold 6 to 8 large, tender peas of sweet, luscious flavor. Good for freezing.

Pkt. 20¢;

1/2 lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

### **Discontinued varieties of Early Peas**

Giant Laxtonian - We recommend Blue Bantam. Laxton's Progress-We recommend Progress No. 9.

#### MAIN-CROP EXTRA-SWEET GREEN PEAS Fordhook Wonder Dwarf and Tall Growing 6231 Fordhook Wonder O 79 days. Extremely large pods, 5 to 51/2 in. long, nearly round, dark green, and contain up to 10 extra large, sweet and most delicious peas of excellent quality, for eating fresh, canned or quick freezing. We recommend Fordhook Wonder for any section where late peas do well. Plants are very productive, 28 in. tall; peas are of the finest flavor and they retain their sweet-

# 5174 Alderman—Tall Dark Podded Telephone

ness for a long time after the pods are ready to pick. Pkt. 25¢; ½ lb. 50¢; lb. 95¢; 2 lbs. \$1.75; 5 lbs. \$4.00

74 days. An ideal high quality pea of unsurpassed flavor, and which holds its green color well in cooking. Pods  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in. and more in length, straight, pointed; well filled with 8 to 10 extralarge, extra-sweet peas. Depending upon growing conditions, vines grow 4½ to 6 ft. tall and are very productive over a long bearing season. Does best in cooler regions as do all largest podded types. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

Carter's Daisy or Dwarf Telephone—Discontinued: we recommend Fordhook Wonder.

# EARLY PEAS—Smooth-Seeded

Seeds of Alaska and Radio are smooth and round and are referred to as smooth-seeded; they are valuable for earliest crop, high yield and general hardiness. They are not so sweet as the wrinkled seeded varieties.

#### 5165 Alaska

55 days. Also known as Earliest of All. Standard, extra-early smooth-seeded pea with short, round, plump, light green pods, 2½ in. long, tightly packed with 6 to 8 small, round, green

peas. For home gardens, we recommend Burpeeana Early because the quality is much better. Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

#### 5164 Radio

58 days. Great favorite. In less than two months the plants make vigorous bushes, 12 to 15 in. high, which are simply loaded with well-filled dark green pods, 21/2 in. long; on the average they contain 6 large, round, bright green peas of a rich and deliciously sweet flavor.

Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 45%; lb. 80%; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

Mammoth Podded Extra Early - Discontinued;

we recommend Alaska.

# **EDIBLE-PODDED or SUGAR PEAS**

THE PODS ARE COOKED AND EATEN LIKE SNAP BEANS

Sugar Peas possess the tenderness and fleshy podded qualities of a snap bean and the flavor and sweetness of fresh green peas. When young the pods are cooked like snap beans; the peas are not shelled. At this stage, pods are stringless, brittle, succulent and free of fiber or parchment. Should pods develop too fast for use as snap beans, seeds may be eaten as shelled peas and are of the best flavor before they have reached full size.

5184 Mammoth Melting Sugar O 75 days. Wellknown, productive and resistant to fusarium wilt. The fleshy, tender, 4 to 4½ in. pods are light green, broad and blunt-ended, stringless, sweet and delicious. Pods are often sliced for cooking. Vines grow 4 to 4½ ft. tall and should be given support of string or brush to climb upon.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

5183 Dwarf Gray Sugar 65 days. The earliest and dwarfest growing sugar pea. Pods 2½ to 3 in. long, light green, curved, sweet and tender. Vines grow 2 to 2½ ft. tall and are very prolific. Ideal variety for home gardens, especially where space is limited and seasons are short.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ lb. 45¢; lb. 80¢; 2 lbs. \$1.40; 5 lbs. \$3.25

# BLACK-EYES—Commonly known as Table Peas

5177 Early Ramshorn  $^{60}$  days. Considered best of all black-eyes. Pods 7 to 8 in. long, well filled with large, smooth skinned seeds of a most delicious flavor, either fresh or dried. Vigorous, heavy yielding vines, highly resistant to wilt, nematodes and other pea diseases. Pkt.  $20 \not\in$ ; 1/2 lb.  $50 \not\in$ ; lb.  $85 \not\in$ ; 2 lbs. \$1.60; 5 lbs. \$3.50

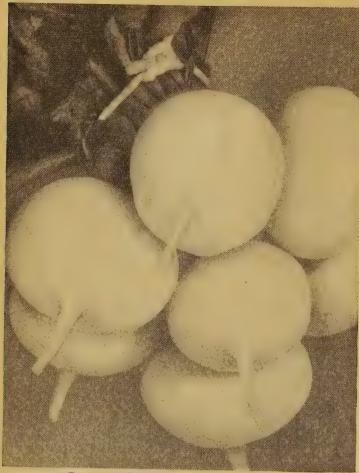


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Mammoth Melting Sugar Pea

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# Burpee's Earliest RADISHES



Burpee White—Outstanding for flavor

# 6096 Burpee White O\_Best flavor

25 days. Exceptional tenderness, mild flavor, crispness, and remaining long in edible condition, are most outstanding qualities of Burpee White Radish. When young, roots are nearly round, juicy and sweet with pure white skin and flesh. They become flattened in shape as they grow, the diameter increasing with age. Burpee White Radishes are at their best eating stage when ¾ to 1 in. across. Grown from spring-sown seed, they are crisp, mild and tender even if allowed to grow 2 in. across. The Burpee White Radish is superior in respect to available nutrients and low fiber content.

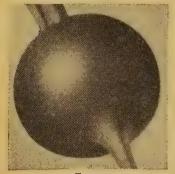
Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.65

# 6092 Comet O — All-America Medal Winner

25 days. Tender white flesh which remains crisp and solid for a long time. Radishes average 1 in. across, are round, with an occasional olive-shaped, with bright scarlet skin; tops are short. Eating and keeping qualities are excellent. Good forcer.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

Make additional plantings of radishes when the first planting is up and well started. Sow until early summer, then a month before frost







Vick's Scarlet Globe

## 6087 Burpee's Rapid Red O

23 days. Small, bright red radish as round as marbles, ¾ in. in diameter, with pure white, crisp and delightfully snappy flesh. Early, of fine quality, smooth and attractive in appearance. A fine table radish. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

#### 6086 Burpee's **Earliest Scarlet Button**

25 days. Earliness, bright scarlet color, unusually brittle and delicious quality, mild, delicate flavor, make it a most desirable round radish. Grows about 1 in. in diameter. Skin is thin and tender, flesh is icy white, crisp and juicy. Most desirable for home gardens.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

#### 6252 Champion—Size of silver dollar

28 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Round or ball shaped, with a slender taproot. Clear, bright scar-let skin. The white flesh remains crisp and delicious without becoming pithy even when the roots reach the diameter of a silver dollar. This variety is excellent for home gardening and market growing. Sow seed thinly to permit full development of roots, for best results. Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; ¼ lb. \$1.65; ½ lb. \$2.50

#### 5043 Crimson Giant

29 days. Differs from most others as the roots attain a large size without becoming hollow or pithy. The shape is a perfect globe, 1½ in. in diameter, with thin, tender skin of deep crimson and solid white flesh which is firm, crisp and mild in flavor. For the biggest radishes, sow seed thinly and then thin the plants to stand about 1 to 2 in. apart in the rows.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

### 5047 Vick's Scarlet Globe

24 days. Crisp and tasty white flesh. Roots are oliveshaped, 1 in. across, with bright scarlet skin and medium size tops. Equally good for forcing and outdoors. Radish of attractive shape and color.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.70

#### Three Extra Fine Radishes

Burpee White (the world's finest flavored radish)

Cherry Belle (quick growing round red) Sparkler (round scarlet-red with white base)

6661 - SPECIAL: One pkt. each of these 3 excellent radishes, value 60¢ for only

Radishes do best in loose, deeply prepared soil and when growth is quick and steady. Sow seed of the earliest and midseason varieties as early in the spring as soil can be worked. Length of tops, color of roots may vary with soil and growing conditions; shape of roots may also vary with soil, depth of planting and time of sowing. A pkt. of seed will sow about 20 ft. of row; 1 oz. 100 ft. When sowing beets, carrots, parsley and parsnips, mix in a few radish seeds to mark the rows where the slower-growing vegetables were sown. As the radishes are harvested it will tend to thin out the other crop. This is a good way to get the most out of a garden, especially when space is limited.



Earliest Scarlet Button



Burpee's Rapid Red

# 6085 Cherry Belle Radish O

22 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Round, smooth, red radishes, 34 in. across, resemble cherries in shape and color; flesh is white, crisp and firm. Retain their good eating qualities for a long time. This, together with an attractive color, ideal shape, extra-early maturity, slender tap-roots and short tops, make Cherry Belle a most desirable radish.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.15;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.95



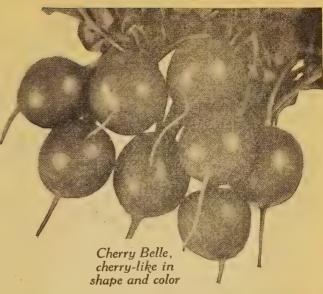
6097 Burpee's Red Giant O

29 days. Combines large size with tender crispness and mild flavor.
The globular roots, even

though they grow as large as  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter, are as crisp as ice if grown quickly. Skin is an attractive bright scarlet-red. Flesh is pure white and has a most delicious flavor from the time roots are 1/2 in. across to full size.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.65; 1/2 lb. \$2.50

# RADISHES



#### 6095 White Icicle

Most popular of all long white radishes

28 days. Icy white, crisp, juicy, perfectly mild flesh of a delightfully sweet flavor. Skin is pure white, thin and tender. Will grow 5 in, in length and are the shape of an icicle. While they will remain firm for a long time, they are at their best if used when young.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95



French **Break fast** 

Burpee's Red Giant

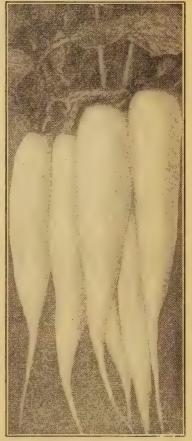
#### 5046 French Breakfast—Distinct shape

23 days. Oblong to deep olive-shaped, 1¾ in. long and 5% to ¾ in. wide. Rose-scarlet skin, shading to clear white in the lower portion. The flesh is white, firm and crisp; juicy, mildly pungent and tender. Tops are very short; radishes show partly above ground which makes them easy to harvest. For the best eating, use when young. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ¼ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95

# 5044 Sparkler—Scarlet-red with white base

25 days. The crisp, juicy flesh is pure white and of an agreeable snappy flavor. Round to almost round roots, 1½ in. in diameter, upper portion deep scarlet with the lower ½ or more clear white; tap-root is small and slender. An attractive radish of good quality and a striking contrast to the all-red or all-white varieties.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 95¢; ½ lb. \$1.70



White Icicle

If your garden includes some of each of the three different classes of radishes—earliest, summer and winter varieties—it will keep you supplied with this refreshing vegetable practically all year 'round. You have your choice of many kinds.

# MIDSEASON OR SUMMER RADISH

5304 White Strassburg 40 days. Become ready to use when the others are gone. Roots are  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in, long and 2 in, in diameter at the shoulder, tapering gradually toward the small tap-root. Skin is white and thin; flesh is mildly pungent, white, crisp, tender and of an icy texture. As they grow more slowly, they endure heat better and are valuable for summer use. Remain long in good edible condition. Prefer a moderately light soil.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.15;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.95

## FALL AND WINTER RADISHES

These require cool weather at the finish of their growing season. Sow seed in early summer for fall use; in midsummer for late fall and winter. By storing roots in moist sand in the cellar, fresh, crisp radishes may be had during the early winter.

5306 Long Black Spanish 60 days. Flesh pure white, crisp, solid and pungent; skin is black. Grow 7 to 10 in. long and 2 to 3 in. thick, nearly the same size at the bottom as the top. Pkt.  $20 \, \varepsilon$ ; oz.  $45 \, \varepsilon$ ;  $\frac{1}{4} \, \text{lb.} \, \$1.15$ ;  $\frac{1}{2} \, \text{lb.} \, \$1.95$ 

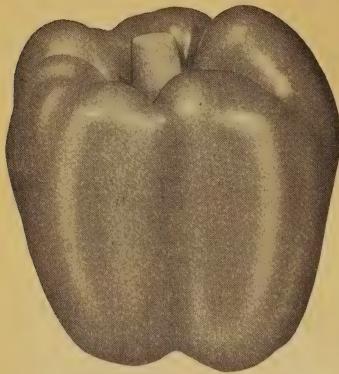
5051 White Chinese or Celestial 60 days. The least pungent of all winter radishes. Pure white roots, 6 to 8 in. long, with a diameter of 3 in. Flesh is crisp, juicy, icy white and of mild flavor—remain succulent for a long time in the fall and early winter.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.15; ½ lb. \$1.95



Sparkler

# PEPPERS—Sweet, mild flesh



Burpee's Fordhook—All-America Bronze Medal Winner

# 6083 Burpee's Fordhook O

66 days. An excellent, extremely productive, uniform, high quality, blocky sweet pepper of just the right size and shape for stuffing. Fruits grow 3 to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter and  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to  $3\frac{3}{4}$  in. deep, nearly round in cross section, with 3 or 4 lobes, glossy dark green skin turning bright red. Flesh is tender, crisp and always sweet.

Pkt. 30%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 90%; oz. \$1.55;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.50

# 6088 Burpee's Early Pimento Sweet Pepper O

65 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner. Highly desirable for all home uses including quick freeze and for making canned pimentos. Heart-shaped, pendent, and when mature the heavy walled fruits are  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. long and 2½ in. in diameter at the top, smooth, dark green, turning bright red when ripe. The flesh is ¼ to ½ in. thick—sweet and mild. Plants are upright and highly prolific.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90

# 5048 Burpee's Sunnybrook® O

65 days. Flesh is so sweet and mild that it may be eaten like a raw tomato. Fruits are 2 in. deep and 3 in. in diameter with smooth, glossy dark green skin turning deep red. Best tomato-shaped pepper, very early and productive. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90

## 5049 Burpee's Ruby King—Large

68 days. Valuable early, sweet pepper for all purposes. Prolific bearer of pendent fruits  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 in. long and  $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 in. thick at the shoulder; deep green turning to bright red. Flesh is firm, mild, sweet; walls of medium thickness.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 60¢; oz. \$1.15; ¼ lb. \$3.25

#### 6081 California Wonder O

75 days. All that you could ask for in a stuffing pepper good size, blocky form, thick walls and tender flesh of a mild, delicate flavor. Peppers are about 4 in. long and 3 to 3½ in. in diameter, 3 and 4 lobed, and are borne upright. The skin is smooth, glossy green, turning to bright crimson. Pkt. 25¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.90 Peppers are classed in two groups, the sweet or mild and the hot. The sweet fleshed peppers are desirable for slicing, salad and stuffing; they come in different forms—some blocky (Burpee's Fordhook), some heart-shaped (Burpee's Early Pimento), and another like a tomato in shape with a very mild flavor (Burpee's Sunnybrook). All are green at first changing to red when ripe, except Oshkosh, which turns to bright yellow.

Hot fleshed peppers vary in shape from those resembling a cherry to the extremely hot little tabascos and the long red cayenne. They are red when ripe. Fine for sauces, flavoring and pickling either fresh or dried.

A pkt. of seed will produce about 50 plants; 1 oz. 1500. Days mentioned in descriptions represent the average time required from the setting of the plants in the garden until the first fruits are

#### 5041 King of the North—Early, prolific

65 days. The large, long shaped peppers are mild and sweet, dark green, turning to a rich red when ripe; slightly tapered, 5 in. and more long, 3 to 4 in. across. Quite early. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.20; ¼ lb. \$3.45

#### 5045 Merrimack Wonder—The earliest

60 days. Recommended anywhere, especially where growing season is short. Blocky fruits with moderately thick, sweet, mild flesh; skin is green turning to rich red.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### 5293 Oshkosh – Bright yellow when ripe

70 days. Sweet, mild and appealing flavor. Different from other peppers in that the rich dark green skin changes to an attractive, bright canary yellow when ripe. Fruits are smooth, blocky,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  in. long,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. in diameter, broad at base tapering to a blunt point.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.90

#### 5042 Worldbeater—Heavy producer

73 days. Firm flesh of a mild, sweet flavor; fruits are large, of uniform shape, three and four lobed, 5 in. long and  $3\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Skin is dark green turning to deep red.

Pkt.  $20\frac{e}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $65\frac{e}{5}$ ; oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.45

#### 5185 Yolo Wonder—Mosaic-resistant

76 days. Four lobed fruits of the California Wonder type with the added advantage of being resistant to tobacco mosaic. Flesh is thick, firm and sweet. Dense foliage. Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 75%; oz. \$1.40;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00

Chinese Giant—Discontinued; recommend Worldbeater.

#### Best 3 Peppers for the Home Garden

Burpee's Fordhook, California Wonder and Merrimack Wonder

6721-SPECIAL: One pkt. of each, value 75¢, only 60¢

# HOT PEPPERS—Large and Small



Long Red Cayenne—very "hot" or pungent

5294 Hungarian Wax 65 days. Waxy canary-yellow changing to bright red when ripe, 6 to 8 in. long, 2 in. across. Quite hot. Pkt.  $20 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $60 \not\in$ ; oz. \$1.15;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.50

5295 Large Cherry 69 days. Flattened globe fruits,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. across; deep green turning to cherry-red at maturity. Heavy cropper. Pkt.  $20\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $60\frac{1}{2}$ ; oz. 51.15;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 3.45

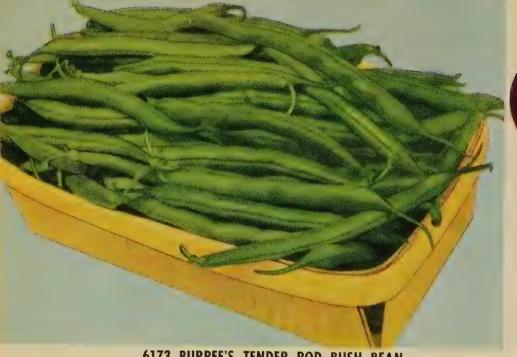
5282 Long Red Cayenne 72 days. Peppers grow 5 in. long and about  $\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick; often curled and twisted. Easily dried for winter. Pkt.  $20 \, \text{¢}$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $60 \, \text{¢}$ ; oz. \$1.15;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.50

5298 Tabasco 92 days. Extremely hot, small, upright fruits,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. long,  $\frac{3}{6}$  in. thick; pale yellow turning orange-scarlet. Pkt.  $25\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $75\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 81.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 83.90

Red Chili-Discontinued; recommend Long Red Cayenne.

Red Hot-Discontinued; recommend Long Red Cayenne.





#### 6173 BURPEE'S TENDER POD BUSH BEAN

The most delicately flavored, the most tender and the most succulent bean at all stages of growth. Brittle, fleshy, meaty, stringless, fiberless, thick, round, smooth, deep green pods,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to  $5\frac{1}{2}$  in. long. Ready in 48 days.

Pkt.  $25 \not\in$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $55 \not\in$ ; lb. \$1.00; 2 lbs. \$1.90; 5 lbs. \$4.50

# BURPEE'S BEST EASY-TO-GROW VEGETABLES

6186 BURPEE REDHART® BEET

Semi-globular to heart-shaped, smooth red skin and dark red, tender, fine grained, sweet flesh. Egyptian highly recommended as an all-season, all-purpose beet of highest quality. 56 days. **Pkt. 25¢**; oz. 60¢; ½ lb. \$1.60

These are the Best and Easiest-to-Grow Quality Vegetables for the Home Garden. Even a beginner can grow these outstanding varieties.

6681—SPECIAL: One full size pkt. \$1 each of all five for only



Remarkable for its exceptional mildness and crispness. The skin and flesh are pure white, firm and tasty. The very best white. Ready in 25 days.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢;

1/4 lb. \$1.65

6058 BURPEE GREENHART® LETTUCE

Our special strain of Grand Rapids with lighter green, finely frilled, deeply cut leaves, and, in addition, will stand longer before bolting to seed. Excellent flavor. 45 days.

Pkt. 25¢;
oz. 75¢;
1/4 lb. \$2.25

6013 **BURPEE'S** 

Our special strain of Red Cored Chantenay, 5 to 5½ in. long, 2¼ in. thick at shoulder, with bright golden orange, tender flesh of a delicate, sweet flavor. Ready in 70 days.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 45¢; oz. 80¢

GOLDINHART® W CARROT

# **BURPEE'S PUMPKINS**

The very mention of the word "pumpkin" reminds one of the sweet, licious flavor of pie. Fruits may be used in the fall or stored in a dry, moderately warm place for use during the winter; the flesh may also be canned. The best pumpkin for general use is Small Sugar. A pkt. of seed will plant about 5 groups; 1 oz. 25 groups or so-called "hills."

5055 Big Tom
120 days. Thick, dry, sweet, orange-yellow flesh, desirable for canning and for pies. Large orange fruits weigh 18 lbs. and more each, round and flat on the ends, with a smooth, hard rind. Also known as Connecticut Field. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢

5053 Genuine Mammoth

120 days. The largest weigh 60 lbs. and more. Fruits grow 18 in, in diameter and have an orange-salmon skin. The bright yellow flesh is thick and sweet. Also called Jumbo or King of the Mammoths.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ½ lb. 95¢

5301 Golden Cushaw 115 days. Popular for baking, boiling, canning and pies. Fruits are golden yellow; curved neck and small seed cavity, thus providing plenty of sweet, tender, rich golden yellow flesh. Average weight, 12 lbs.; grow 18 to 20 in. long. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ½ lb. 95¢

5137 **Jack-O'-Lantern** 110 days. Aptly named as the fruits are of excellent shapes for Halloween carving. Skin is bright orange, smooth and firm; flesh is orange-yellow. Fruits are of medium size and come in a variety of round to elongated shapes.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.20; lb. \$3.60

5302 Striped Cushaw 115 days. Makes good pies. Flesh is thick, sweet, cream colored. Fruits are curved-neck, creamy white mottled with irregular stripes of green. They grow 18 to 20 in. long and weigh about 12 lbs. each. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. 95¢



# 6082 Small Sugar O

100 days. This is the celebrated New England Pie Pumpkin, the best pumpkin for general use. Flesh is rich orange, meaty, sweet and fine grained; skin is bright orange. Fruits are round, slightly ribbed, of medium size, about 7 in. in diameter. Good keepers.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 90¢

# SPINACH

One of our most wholesome "greens" in the spring and early fall when cool weather is most favorable for its growth. Also suitable for quick freezing and canning. New Zealand Spinach will supply delicious "greens" throughout the summer and fall. It withstands heat, as does Swiss Chard and Tampala. A pkt. of true spinach seed will sow 25 ft. of row; 1 oz. 75 ft.



# 6093 Bloomsdale Long Standing O - Vigorous plants

48 days. Heavy yielder of delicious "greens." The glossy dark green leaves are intensely crinkled, in addition to being of a very heavy texture. Valuable for spring or fall sowing. The rather erect plants remain in the rosette stage for a long time without bolting. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 90¢; ½ lb. \$1.45

# 6091 New Zealand O-Everlasting spinach

70 days. Makes strong plants which resist heat and produce an abundance of fleshy, brittle green leaves and young stem tips that can be picked repeatedly all during the summer and fall. When prepared for the table, it so greatly resembles spinach in appearance and flavor that most persons will not be aware of the difference.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.75

#### 5054 Nobel — Giant thick, smooth leaved

49 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. The largest as well as the heaviest producer of all, with thick, smooth, pointed green leaves that are quite succulent, crisp, tender and of extremely delicious flavor. Long standing.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; ¼ lb. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$1.75

#### 5058 America

50 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. Improved strain noted for its long standing and heavy yields. Leaves are glossy, deepest dark green, thick, tender, savoyed and crumpled. Plants grow 10 in. across. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢;

1/4 lb. \$1.10; 1/2 lb. \$1.75

# 5077 Hybrid No. 7

42 days. Has very large, semisavoyed, dark green leaves. Upright habit. Resistant to downy mildew. Good for freezing and canning. It is at its best if sown in earliest spring and again in late summer for fall use.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 60¢;

1/4 lb. \$1.50; 1/2 lb. \$2.75

### 5052 Virginia **Blight Resistant**

42 days. A greatly improved selection, the leaves of which are large, dark green, extremely crisp and tender. It is especially recommended for planting in soil where blight or mosaic disease is prevalent. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 40¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.10; 1/2 lb. \$1.75

#### TAMPALA OR FORDHOOK SPINACH

5341 Valuable "green" that stands hot weather. Within 6 to 8 weeks from sowing, Fordhook Spinach is ready to use when entire plants make the most delicious "greens" either raw as a salad or cooked like spinach. The young leaves are so tender they require only a few minutes to cook; stems may be cooked like asparagus, their flavor like artichokes.

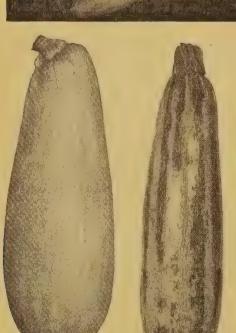
As a cooked, canned or quickly frozen "green," Ford-hook Spinach is, in the opinion of many, superior to regular spinach or Swiss Chard—more appetizing color, more delicious flavor, shrinks very little, holds its dark green color better and is easier to prepare for use fresh or frozen.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$3.00

Summer SQUASH

In descriptions we give the average size of fruits when fully grown. For the best eating, summer squashes are used while very young and tender; in fact, Early White and Crystal Bell are delicious if cooked whole when very tiny—an inch or more across. Generally speaking, a summer squash is too old for good eating when the thumb nail does not readily pierce the skin without pressure. Varieties of bush-like growth take up much less space in the garden than the running kinds and are especially adaptable for the small garden; Cocozelle and Zucchini are very popular bush types. A pkt. of seed will plant 8 to 10 groups; an oz. 30 to 40 groups or so-called "hills."





Burpee Hybrid Zucchini

### 6236 Burpee Hybrid Zucchini O

50 days. True first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid of the Fordhook Zucchini type, a week earlier and a heavier yielder. Shiny medium-green cylindrical fruits 12 in. and more in length but are at their best eating stage when 6 to 8 in. long. Flavor is excellent and texture most tender whether boiled, baked or fried. Keep fruits picked to insure a continuous yield all summer. Medium-sized, bush-like compact plants.

Pkt. 35¢; oz. \$1.10; ½ lb. \$2.90

The most popular summer, curved neck squash. Fruits are small with small crook neck, bright yellow skin and salmon-orange flesh of delicious flavor and fine texture. Suitable for freezing. At their best flavor when about 4 in. long. Full sized fruits grow 10 in. long, 3 in. thick, the skin becoming deep golden orange and much warted. Average weight 3 lbs. Plants are of bush growth and highly productive.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

White Bush, the white flesh is thicker and deeper, the fruits extremely uniform in size, shape and habit. Deep bell-shaped, with a light scallop around the lip of the bell. Skin is greenish white quickly changing to pure white as fruits develop. Will grow to 7 in. across and 5 to 6 in. deep but best used when small. The plant habit is more bush-like than Early White Bush, which often tends to vine out as the season progresses. A general favorite.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ½ lb. \$2.25

6106 Early Prolific Straightneck 50 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner. More easily prepared for the table than curve neck squash. Fruits are creamy yellow and edible from the time they reach a length of 4 to 6 in. until they are 12 to 14 in. long and 3½ in. thick. Heavy yielder of fruits; smaller and earlier than Straightneck Summer. Bush plants.

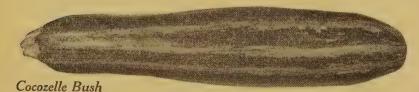
Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

6101 Burpee's Fordhook Zucchini 57 days. All-America Winner. At best table stage, use fruits when 8 to 12 in. long; they are cylindrical, smooth, deep blackish green, straight to very slightly curved. If used at this size, the skin need not be removed. Flesh is creamy white and extremely tender; suitable for freezing. Allowed to grow, fruits may attain a length of 2 ft. and a diameter of 3½ in. Bush-like, vigorous plants.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ¼ lb. \$2.25

**Zucchini Bush**—Discontinued; we recommend Burpee's Fordhook Zucchini. **Yankee Hybrid**—Discontinued; we recommend Early Prolific Straightneck.

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Caserta

5063 Cocozelle Bush (Italian Marrow) 60 days. Cylindrical, dark green fruits striped lighter green, 14 in. and more in length, 4 to 5 in. thick; in best edible condition if used when 6 to 8 in. long. Greenish white, firm, tender flesh. Pkt.  $20 \phi$ ; oz.  $50 \phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

6117 Caserta 50 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Yellowish green fruits irregularly mottled with dark green; 15 to 18 in. long, 4½ to 5 in. thick. Flesh is yellowish white, tender and of delicious flavor, especially if used when 6 to 8 in. long. Bush plants; extremely prolific throughout the season. Outstanding extra early.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.85

Pan) 54 days. Pale green, rather flat fruits changing to creamy white, 7 in. across, 3 in. deep, and scalloped around the edges; flesh is milk-white and most delicious for stewing or boiling if used when small. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 45¢; ½ lb. \$1.25

Early Prolific

Straightneck

# Fall and Winter SQUASH

The fall and winter squashes produce hard-shelled fruits which may be stored for use during the winter. Valuable for baking, boiling, making pies, etc. Many of the varieties here listed make excellent "pumpkin" pie and some are canned extensively for that purpose. Unlike summer squashes, fruits of the fall and winter varieties must remain on the vine until fully matured; gather them before frost, leaving part of the stem attached to the fruit. Handle carefully and avoid bruising. Easily stored in any dry place. Keep best if temperature of 70 to 75° F. is maintained for a week or two after which it should be held at 45 to 50° F. A pkt. of seed will plant 6 to 8 groups, an oz. 20 to 30 groups or "hills."

**6115 Butternut ©** 85 days. Exceptionally meaty. Fruits are 10 to 12 in. long and 4 to 5 in. across; bottle shaped, smooth, dark buff colored skin and a hard shell. The flesh is orange, dry, fine textured, and of a sweet nutty flavor. Good keeper. Vines are quite resistant to squash borer as stems are so tough as to normally prevent the female from inserting her eggs into the stem.

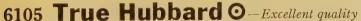
Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

6107 Buttercup 105 days. Turban-shaped fruits 4½ in. thick and 6½ in. across; weigh 4 to 5 lbs., blossom end marked with a prominent "button." Skin is dark green, with silvery white stripes and spots of gray. Thick orange flesh, cooks dry and sweet; most pleasing, rich flavor. Good keeper. Distinctly different shape. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.50

5315 Golden Delicious 105 days. Top-shaped, medium-size fruits 11 in. long, 8 in. across, weighing about 7 lbs. each. Skin is reddish orange; the flesh is orange, sweet, thick and fine-grained. Highly desirable for canning and freezing on account of its moderately dry flesh. Reliable keeper. Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

**5056 Blue Hubbard** 120 days. Attractive blue-gray, slightly ridged fruits which grow larger than the True Hubbard. The shell is rough and very hard, so keeping qualities are good; flesh is bright yellow-orange, finegrained, dry and exceptionally sweet. Desirable for freezing. Squashes grow 15 to 18 in. long and 9 to 12 in. across; average weight 15 lbs. Fruits bulge at the middle, tapering sharply at each end; skin is slightly ridged.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ½ lb. \$1.50



115 days. The popular winter squash for all purposes, especially for winter use, for if properly stored, will keep until spring. We offer our own improved strain; it represents the perfection of winter squashes for pies, baking, boiling, etc. Fairly large fruits with dark bronze-green warted skin, and at tractive deep orange-yellow flesh which is fine grained, sweet and dry. The fruits will grow 12 in. long and 10 in. thick; weigh about 12 lbs.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50

Delicious-Discontinued; we recommend True Hubbard.

Red or Golden Hubbard - Discontinued; we recommend Golden Delicious.

# SQUASH—Especially desirable for baking

For Summer Use or Winter Storage

Fruits may be used before the skin hardens, but the quality of the fine grained, sweet flesh will be better if they are allowed to form a hard shell; splendid for winter storage.

# 6112 Burpee's Bush Table Queen O (Acorn)

80 days. Fruits are similar in size, shape and color to those of the green fruited Table Queen vine variety, described below; the flesh is of better quality. Plants, however, are of semi-bush growth, produce just as many fruits per plant as the vine variety but take less space in the garden so may be planted closer. Excellent keeper. Developed on Fordhook Farms.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 85¢; ½ lb. \$2.25

6108 Royal Acorn O 82 days. A family-size Table Queen, with acornshaped fruits, 7 ½ in. long, 6 in. across, dull dark green in color, turning dull orange after a period of storage. Flesh is fine flavored, up to  $1\frac{1}{2}$  in. thick, dry and sweet, with baking quality as good as Table Queen. Fruits may be used for boiling when immature, but for the best quality they should be allowed to fully develop. Good keepers. Pkt.  $20\frac{1}{5}$ ; oz.  $50\frac{1}{5}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

5057 Table Queen Vine 85 days. Also known as Acorn and Des Moines. Acorn-shaped, 5 in. long and 4 in. thick; deeply ribbed, dark green skin and thick orange flesh that cooks dry and sweet. Baked halves are popular for individual servings. Good keepers. Extremely productive.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.50



Butternut



True Hubbard



Burpee Seeds Grow



# BURPEE'S HYBRID TOMATOES (continued)

# 6113 Burpee Hybrid O

70 days. Highly prolific, all-purpose, main-crop hybrid, outstanding for the quality and particularly rich flavor of its fruits. Tomatoes are medium to large, firm, thick-walled, average 8 ozs. in weight, deep globular in shape, scarletred skin and red, meaty, solid flesh.

Burpee Hybrid has proved itself to be a valuable tomato of wide adaptation having yielded more than such well-known standard varieties as Marglobe and Rutgers. Holds its size throughout the summer, even late in season.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$7.50

### 5071 Burpee Calcross Hybrid

69 days. Early, true, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) hybrid developed primarily for use in California and has done well in other sections. Fruits are medium-large, slightly flattened globe-shaped with bright red skin and firm, meaty flesh of excellent quality. Plants are vigorous growers.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢;

3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$6.50

# 6125 Burpeeana Early Hybrid O

Extra early hybrid of quality.

58 days. Burpeeana has produced the highest early yield of all varieties of tomatoes and continued to bear heavily throughout the season. Fruits are rich scarlet, deep globular, medium size, smooth, average 5 ozs. in weight and profusely borne in clusters of from 5 to 8. Flesh is meaty, excellent quality and mild in flavor.

Extremely high yielding early tomato that is especially valuable in New England and other Northern states where the season is short.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 3 pkts. \$1.35; ½ oz. \$7.50

# 6131 Clinton Hybrid

75 days. Burpee's highly prolific hybrid, maincrop, all-purpose tomato which has proved very satisfactory in many sections even in the Middlewest. Has done exceptionally well in Iowa, Illinois, Ohio and Indiana. Fruits are large, weigh about 8 ozs.; bright scarlet, globular-oblate, smooth, with firm, meaty, mild flesh of excellent quality.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢;

2 pkts. 65%; 3 pkts. 90%;  $\frac{1}{8}$  oz. \$6.00

# 6135 Fordhook Hybrid

60 days. Early, long bearing, highly prolific hybrid of special value for early use, especially in sections with short summers. Fruits are uniformly shaped, smooth, medium size, average 6 ozs. in weight, oblate to globular in shape and borne freely in large clusters. Skin is clear, bright red and colors evenly. The flesh is solid

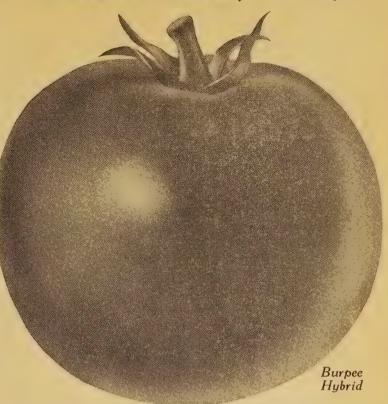
and has a mildly acid sweet taste.

Pkt. (30 seeds) 35¢; 2 pkts. 65¢;

3 pkts. 90¢; ½ oz. \$6.00

#### **Burpee and Burpeeana Early Hybrids**

6751—SPECIAL: One pkt. each of Burpeeana Early and Burpee Hybrid Tomatoes, value \$1.00 for only 80¢



#### HYBRID TOMATOES

Hybrid Tomatoes are strong, vigorous growers and have the ability to outyield regular varieties, the extra quantities coming, in large measure, from the soil. It can be readily understood that because Hybrid Tomatoes can produce larger plants and higher yields they must be fed more than standard tomatoes. Tests have shown that hybrid tomato seedlings started in 4 in. pots or 4 x 4 in. bands, produced earlier and heavier yields than those started in 2½ in. pots or 2 x 2 in. bands when transplanted to the garden. To produce a maximum crop of large fruits, we recommend that you maintain good fertility and moisture in your soil. For this purpose, it is desirable to make your fertilizer application at the time of transplanting and, if possible, cover the ground around the plants with well-rotted manure when plants begin to bloom. Water during dry spells.

Each seed of an F<sub>1</sub> Hybrid Tomato and other F<sub>1</sub> hybrid vegetables is produced by carefully controlled crossing by hand of two distinct parent lines. This requires a great deal of work and entails a heavy expense but the resulting seed will produce a hybrid of extreme vigor, more uniform in growth, with bigger yields and better quality. We strongly urge that special care and attention be given to the sowing of the seed and the growing of the crop. Extra care will pay.

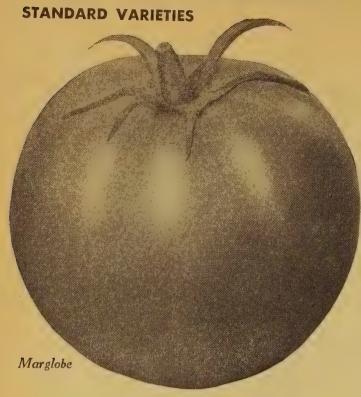


Burpee's Sunnybrook—heavy quality yielder

# 5337 Burpee's Sunnybrook O

70 days. Highly prolific, midseason F<sub>2</sub> tomato. Fruits are scarlet-red, firm, globular, average 7 ozs. in weight; flesh is meaty and of excellent quality. Pkt. 30¢; 2 pkts. 50¢; ½ oz. \$2.00; ½ oz. \$3.50; oz. \$6.00

# Large Red TOMATOES



# 5331 Burpee's Table Talk O

75 days. Slice Burpee's Table Talk Tomato and you will marvel at the structure and the solidity of its firm interior. The large, deep globular fruits average 7 to  $8\frac{1}{2}$  ozs. and are bright scarlet, uniform and attractive. Plant is short stemmed and bushy, but with no self-topping tendency.

Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.85

# 6127 Beefsteak—Known as Crimson Cushion

80 days. The largest red-fruited standard tomato and grown extensively by home gardeners. Resembles Ponder-osa in many ways except color—Ponderosa has purplish pink skin while Beefsteak is scarlet-red. Vigorous vines produce an abundance of extra-large fruits which are more or less ribbed. Flesh deep scarlet with a rich sub-acid flavor. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $70\phi$ ; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.85

# 5347 Bonny Best—Popular second-early

66 days. Fruits are smooth, solid, bright scarlet-red, slightly flattened globe shape, and borne in clusters of 3 to 5 on medium size, vigorous vines which yield a heavy crop. Particularly adapted for growing in the northern states.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

## 5325 Burpee's Gloriana—Very early

55 days. Of the Earliana type, but excelling it in quality, shape, appearance and yield as well as length of bearing season. The scarlet-red, semi-globular fruits average 5 ozs. in weight and are borne in large clusters. Plants are small at beginning of season, medium size when fully grown.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.40; ¼ lb. \$3.85

# 5326 Burpee's Sunnybrook Earliana

58 days. Our improved strain of Earliana and a most valuable extra early tomato for all purposes. Earliness, smoothness, uniformity of fruit and productivity have all been stressed to produce a tomato that is really superior. Fruits are of medium size, scarlet-red, solid and fleshy.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### Discontinued varieties of Large Red Tomatoes

Break O'Day-We recommend Grothen's Globe.

Greater Baltimore—We recommend Burpee's Matchless. John Baer-We recommend Bonny Best.

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#### 5064 Marglobe O-A most important tomato

#### Burpee's Special Fordhook Strain

73 days. This remarkable strain is the result of many years of selection on our Fordhook Farms. In making our selections, we have stressed heavy vine growth, uniformity of vine and fruit, yield, large fruit size and resistance to fusarium wilt. Vines are large and vigorous, giving full protection to the crop. Fruits are globeshaped, rich red inside and out, with thick internal and outer walls and small cells; the flavor is slightly sweet The most widely used main-crop standard tomato. Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ½ lb. \$3.15

## 5322 Burpee's Matchless O

78 days. Produce an enormous crop of large, meaty, rich scarlet-red, perfectly smooth, firm, long-keeping fruits, the flavor of which is deliciously sub-acid and tasty. Plants are strong, vigorous growers and highly productive.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

#### 5346 Grothen's Globe O-Solid

68 days. Fruits are globe-shaped, with well-rounded shoulders; average 7 ozs. in weight; walls are thick and firm; skin is brilliant red, free from yellow color at the stem end; interior is solid and meaty. Noted for quality.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ½ lb. \$3.85

#### 5343 Pritchard O-Wilt resistant

70 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Also known as Scarlet Topper. Ideal all-purpose red tomato which is highly resistant to fusarium wilt. The "self-topping" habit prevents excessive vine growth. Produces an abundant crop of smooth, bright red, globe-shaped fruits of medium size. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### 6118 Queens—Highly recommended; early

70 days. A good early, heavy bearing tomato, either grown naturally on the ground or staked. Combines earliness with smooth, deep globular shape, reasonably free of cracks. Fruits are medium in size, averaging 5 ozs. in weight, and of a very pleasing flavor. The outer and inner walls are thick, with small seed cavities which may account for the hard. Some feel of the attractive, bright red fruits for the hard, firm feel of the attractive, bright red fruits. Pkt. 20%;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 65%; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.15

# 5061 Rutgers O-Favorite all purpose tomato

74 days. Good color, fine flavor and large fruits,  $6\frac{1}{2}$  to  $7\frac{1}{2}$ ozs., which ripen from the interior outward, all combine to make Rutgers a most popular tomato for all purposes. Globular, slightly flattened, smooth, bright red tomato with heavy walls and small cells. Vines are vigorous, heavy foliaged and wilt resistant to a high degree. Excellent.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

# 5344 Stokesdale O-Heavy yielder

70 days. Second-early to midseason, medium sized tomato of quality. Fruits are smooth, solid, deep round, bright scarlet throughout. Plant is of vigorous, semi-spreading, open habit and a heavy yielder of delicious fruits.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### 5345 Stone—Favorite main crop tomato

81 days. Widely grown in home gardens throughout the country. The quality is good for all purposes. Vines are very large, and well covered with foliage. Fruits are scarlet-red, deep, flattened, smooth and weigh from 61/2 to 7  $\frac{1}{2}$  ozs. each and freely produced throughout the season. Pkt. 15¢;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 60¢; oz. 95¢;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.85

# 5348 Valiant—Distinct mild flavor

65 days. Large-fruited, early tomato which, because of its size and yielding ability, is gaining greatly in popularity. The red fruits are medium large, deep globular, meaty; plants are vigorous, medium in size, spreading and somewhat open habit of growth. Superior to the old Earliana.

Pkt. 20¢; ½ oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.00; ¼ lb. \$3.15

For years it has been customary to refer to the following varieties as pink fruited; the only difference between a red tomato and a pink tomato is the skin color. Red tomatoes have a yellowish skin while the pink has a transparent skin. They are usually milder and more delicate in flavor than red fruited tomatoes. The meat of large pink tomatoes is fleshy and contains few seeds.

### 5323 Burpee's Globe O-Extra choice

80 days. All-America Silver Medal Winner, Where a maincrop pink tomato of solidity and quality, with high yielding ability, is desired, plant Burpee's Globe. Uniform, medium to large, rich pinkish red, globe-shaped, smooth tomatoes in clusters of 6 to 10; interior is firm, meaty, and free from any core. Contain little or no acid; a shy seeder, the seed cavities being full of solid meat.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

### 5324 Oxheart—Extra large, deep fruits

86 days. Noted for its delicious and appealing flavor. One of the largest pink tomatoes ever introduced; often weigh 1 lb. and more. The oxheart shape of the pinkish red fruits is most distinct; interior is extremely solid with thick, firm walls and small cavities with few seeds. Pkt.  $25\phi$ ;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz.  $75\phi$ ; oz. \$1.35;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.85

#### **5334 Ponderosa**—*Immense fruits*

83 days. It is not unusual for the purplish pink, deep, somewhat flattened fruits to weigh 24 ozs. and more, though the average runs around 9 ozs. The seed cavities are remarkably small, which accounts for the solid, luscious flesh of a delightful mild flavor. Though the fruits are immense, they are of fine quality, tasty and palatable. Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 75¢; oz. \$1.35; ¼ lb. \$3.85

O If in doubt as to which varieties of vegetables to grow, select those marked with the O.

#### **BLOSSOM-SET**

Just mix with water and spray whole plant. Stops blossom drop; makes blossoms set fruit chemically. Tomatoes ripen earlier, are larger, firmer, more delicious—many SEEDLESS. A hormone spray. U.S.D.A. tested. Easy to use; apply with ordinary sprayer. 9371—4 ozs. 85¢; 9372—1 pint \$2.00

#### **AEROSOL BLOSSOM-SET**

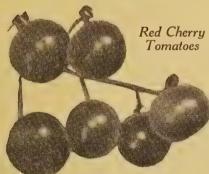
The new convenient way to use BLOSSOM-SET. No mixing required—ready to use—pick up the can and push button and spray.

9225—12 ozs. \$1.95

# **Small Red TOMATOES**



San Marzano



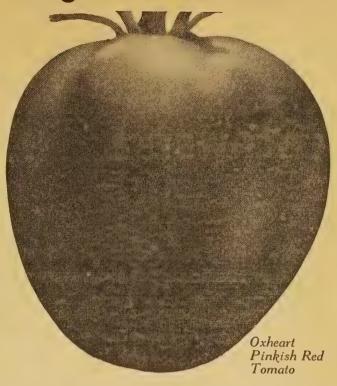
6132 San Marzano 80 days. Highly productive and extensively grown for canning whole, for puree and making "tomato paste"; they are fine if peeled whole for distinctive salads. Fruits are rectangular-shaped, 3½ in. long and 1½ in. across, non-cracking, flat-sided, borne in clusters and with the most intense red of all commercial tomatoes. Exceptionally meaty, free from juicy pulp and of very mild flavor. Ripe fruits vigorous vines bearing continuously from midseason until frost.

Pkt. 50¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.50

5333 Red Cherry 72 days. Gets its name from the shape and size of the fruits which are used for preserving, pickling and salads, or chilled and eaten whole. Tomatoes are round, scarlet, about 1/8 in. across, freely borne in clusters throughout the summer.

Pkt. 25¢; 1/2 oz. 65¢; oz. \$1.15

# **Large Pink TOMATOES**



#### **Sizes and Weights of Tomatoes**

given in our descriptions are for the general field-run of fruits. Customers often write us that they have produced tomatoes bigger than we state they will grow. This is not surprising for with special care, proper fertilizing, watering, pruning, staking, etc., they may easily do better than we claim. This might readily apply to other vegetables.

Tomatoes belong in every garden—they are easily grown and produce quantities of fruit for the space occupied. Picked when sun ripened, they have a flavor unequalled by any you may buy. As they can be served in so many different ways, one never seems to tire of them.

A pkt. of standard tomato seeds will produce about 100 plants; one oz. 5000 to 6000.

# ORANGE TOMATOES

# 6122 Burpee's Jubilee O

72 days. If you have not enjoyed the delicious flavor and good eating qualities of Burpee's Jubilee, be sure to grow it this year. In shape, smoothness, quality, solidity and heavy yields, Jubilee compares favorably with the best of the standard red varieties. Being of mild but definite flavor, Jubilee is preferred by many to the best red tomatoes. Fruits are bright golden orange, deep-globular, 2½ to 3¼ in. across, 2¼ to 2¾ in. in depth, heavy and really delicious; the orange colored interior is very high in vitamins A and C. Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 60¢; ½ oz. 95¢; oz. \$1.65; ¼ lb. \$4.85

#### 5336 Sunray—Wilt-resistant, orange

Same size and color as Burpee's Jubilee with all its fine qualities to which wilt resistance has been added. If you live in a locality where you cannot grow golden orange tomatoes because of fusarium wilt, we recommend that you give Sunray a trial.

Pkt. 25¢; ¼ oz. 65¢; ½ oz. \$1.10; oz. \$2.00

# **Small Yellow Tomatoes**

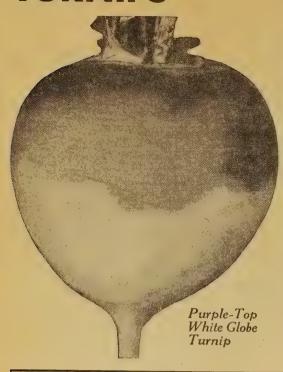
5335 Yellow Pear 70 days. Of exceedingly mild and pleasing flavor; sweet and delicious. Fine for salads in the fresh state, or for preserving and pickling. Fruits are yellow, pear-shaped with definite neck;  $1\frac{3}{4}$  to 2 in. long, 1 in. in diameter and are borne prolifically in clusters.

Pkt. 25e;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70e; oz. \$1.15

5332 **Yellow Plum** 70 days. Their sweet and most delicious flavor make them highly desirable for preserves. Excellent in mixed salads. May also be served whole and eaten raw. Immensely productive, small, fleshy tomato, the size and shape of a plum, 2 in. long, 1½ in. across with bright lemon-yellow skin.

Pkt. 25¢; ½ oz. 70¢; oz. \$1.15

# **TURNIPS**



At their best when growth is made during cool weather. Plant Extra Early Milan in the spring for its roots and Foliage or Shogoin for its tops which are much used for "greens." Sow any variety in late summer for fall use or storing of the roots for use during the winter—Purple-Top White Globe being the most popular variety. Frost improves the flavor of foliage turnips. A pkt. of seed will plant about 50 ft. of row. An oz. will plant about 250 ft.

#### 6121 Purple-Top White Globe O-Widely grown

55 days. The most popular white fleshed turnip. Flesh is white, firm, crisp, and of mild-sweet flavor, raw or cooked. Roots are nearly round, smooth, bright purplish red on the upper part which extends above the surface; the lower portion is creamy white. Will grow to large size, 4 to 5 in. across but are of best quality if used when 2 to 3 in. in diameter. Purple-Top White Globe is a good choice for a heavy cropper.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.75

#### 5073 Extra Early Purple-Top Milan

45 days. The earliest and well adapted to spring and fall planting. Flattened roots, 3 to 4 in. across with smooth white skin tinted purple on top, flesh is white, tender and delicate when young. The plants have small, upright, strap leaf tops.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.75

#### 5074 Golden Ball-Sweetest yellow fleshed turnip

60 days. The best yellow-fleshed turnip. Perfectly globe-shaped, bright creamy yellow turnips up to 4 in. across, with appetizing, pale amber-colored, fine grained sweet tasting flesh of good quality. It is also known as Orange Jelly.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

#### 5076 Foliage or Shogoin Turnip—Quick growing

A double purpose turnip, 30 days to use foliage; 70 days for roots. Tops are large, 18 to 20 in. tall, plentiful, tender, and of a mild, delicate flavor; they are ready for use as "greens" in about 30 days and may be used at any time during the growing season. Also produces a white turnip, 3 to 4 in. thick, flattened globe-shaped, white skin and flesh. Tops and roots may be cooked together if you so desire.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 30¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. 95¢; lb. \$1.75

\$ 3 Vegetable Garden (enough seed to plant 50 x 75 ft.) 6612

Buy the complete garden for \$3 and save 85¢

One half-pound each: Bush Bean, Burpee's Stringless Green-Pod; Bush Lima Bean, Burpee's Fordhook and Sweet Corn, Golden Cross Bantam.

One ounce each: Beet, Detroit Dark Red and Spinach, Bloomsdale Long Standing.

One half-ounce: Carrot, Danvers Half Long.

One packer each: Cucumber, Black Diamond; Lettuce, New York 12; Radish, Comet; Squash, Early Golden Sum-mer Crookneck; Swiss Chard, Lucullus and Tomato, Rutgers.

# RUTABAGA

The flavor of rutabaga is preferred by many to turnips. Housewives often refer to them as "big yellow turnips" or "Canadian turnips," names sometimes used in the produce and shipping trade. Best used as a fall crop. A pkt. of seed will sow about 50 ft. of row; an oz. 250 ft.

# 6126 Burpee's Purple-Top Yellow O

90 days. The leading rutabaga for table use during fall and winter. Roots are large, smooth, globe-shaped with deep purplish red coloring in the upper portion above ground, light yellow below. Sweet, fine-grained, yellow flesh cooking to bright orange. It is a good keeper when stored for winter use.

Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ¼ lb. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.05; lb. \$1.60





#### 6264 Burpee's Fordhook Hybrid O

74 days-New THIS YEAR A top quality, early, productive, first generation (F<sub>1</sub>) Hybrid Water-melon with bright red flesh and a moderate number of small seeds. Fruits are dark glossy green, nearly round, and weigh from 12 to 14 lbs. An outstanding family sized melon for home gardens. Seed supply is very short.

Pkt. 75¢; 2 pkts. \$1.40; 3 pkts. \$1.95

5253 Burpee's Halbert Honey 85 days. Exceptionally sweet, crisp, bright crimson flesh of the most luscious flavor. Skin is deep green with fine veining. Fruits are large, 18 to 20 in. long, 12 in. across, and weigh up to 30 lbs. each.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

#### 5039 Burpee's Sunnybrook Hybrid

75 days. Early, high yielding  $F_1$  hybrid watermelon that produces a large number of medium size, dark green fruits. Shape is nearly round, 10 in. long and 9 in. deep, slightly indented at both ends. Flesh is crisp, quite sweet, medium red, with no heavy fibers. Medium size seeds.

Pkt. 50¢; 2 pkts. 95¢; 5 pkts. \$2.00

#### 6245 Charleston Gray O—Disease resistant 85 days. One of the newer watermelons that we can

highly recommend for it combines fine eating quality with resistance to fusarium wilt, anthracnose and sunburn. Flesh is red, crisp and free of coarse fiber; skin is light greenish gray. Mature melons grow 24 in. long, 10 in. across and weigh 28 to 35 lbs. Very popular.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ½ lb. \$1.75

6078 Congo 90 days. All-America Bronze Medal Winner, Melons are oblong, blocky, dark green faintly

striped lighter green; flesh is bright red, crisp and sweet. Highly resistant to anthracnose. The melons weigh 30 to 40 lbs.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

#### 5254 Early Northern Sweet

78 days. Especially adapted to Northern states and the Canadian provinces. Fruits are small, weigh 10 to 12 pounds, nearly round, medium green with a suggestion of darker green striping. The flesh is bright pink, fine texture and of good flavor.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; ¼ lb. \$1.25

#### 6068 New Hampshire Midget O

70 days. All-America Gold Medal Winner. Extremely early which will be especially appreciated by New England gardeners. Midget size—about that of a cantaloupe, 7 in. long, 6 in. across, weigh up to 6 lbs.; an ideal size for putting into a refrigered to Shire trained dark group on light group, rind erator. Skin striped dark green on light green; rind thin; flesh strawberry-red, solid and sweet. Vines are small, but vigorous and heavy yielding.

Pkt. 25¢; oz. 65¢; ¼ lb. \$1.75

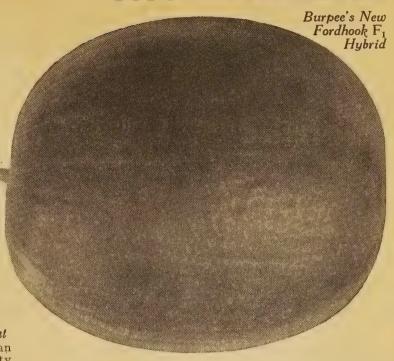
5252 Stone Mountain 88 days. Known as Dixie Belle. A high quality oval-round water-melon with grayish green smooth skin and beautiful deep crimson flesh without any white or stringiness in the heart. The average melon weighs 45 lbs. Pkt. 15¢; oz. 35¢; ½ lb. 85¢

#### 6065 Dixie Queen, Wilt Resistant O

90 days. Flesh is delicious—deep red when ripe, very sweet and free from fiber. Fruits have light green skin striped dark green; grow 15 in. long and 12 in. across and weigh 30 to 35 lbs. Fruits are quite similar to the original Dixie Queen with the added advantage that the vines are highly resistant to wilt. Rind is thin but strong.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.35

WATERMELONS



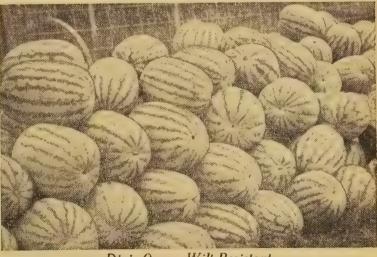
Watermelons—your choice of round, oval, or long and pink or red flesh. If you live in the North, plant the quickest maturing varieties (New Hampshire Midget, Early Northern Sweet or the new Burpee's Fordhook Hybrid). If you have not been able to grow melons, because disease prevented non-resistant varieties from producing a crop, try Charleston Gray or Dixie Queen.

A pkt. of seed will plant 6 groups or "hills"; 1 oz. about 30 groups.



5032 Kleckley's Sweet Improved 88 days. Also known as Wondermelon. Splendid melon of excellent quality. Flesh is dark red, of fine texture, juicy and delectable flavor; skin is attractive, dark glossy green. Fruits grow 12 in. in diameter, 24 in. long and weigh up to 40 lbs. each. Favorite for home gardens.

Pkt. 20¢; oz. 50¢; 1/4 lb. \$1.35



Dixie Queen, Wilt Resistant

Next 9 pages for Burpee's Bulbs and Roots

## Burpee's Hardy Garden Lily Bulbs

Easy to grow in any good, well-drained garden loam to which has been added a generous quantity of leaf mold. Once established, they will increase in beauty each year. Most all lilies delight in a sunny location, but it is advisable to mulch so that the hot sun does not reach the soil around the base of the plant. All varieties offered are highly decorative in the border, while the dwarfer ones also give a charming touch of beauty to the rock garden. Lily bulbs differ greatly in size according to variety—some 1 in. across, others 3 in. or more; we supply the sizes which will give the best results. We do not recommend Hardy Lily bulbs for house culture. How-to-grow directions are sent with the bulbs.



Regal Lily

## Regal Lily-LILIUM REGALE

Large trumpet-shaped, white, sweet-scented flowers with a touch of canary-yellow in the throat and a shading of lilacpink on the outside. Clusters of blooms at the top of tall. wiry stems during July. One of the most beautiful and easiest grown of all lilies, the individual flowers measure about 6 in. in length and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 in. across. Grow 3 to 5 ft. high.

7242 Extra Large Bulbs Will produce more flowers per plant the first year than the large bulbs. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7249 Large Bulbs Shorter spikes with fewer flowers than the above—the size preferred by many for the largest number of flower spikes at low cost. At these low prices, a splendid opportunity is afforded you to plant this beautiful hardy garden lily in quantity. More floriferous with age.
4 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.75; 100 for \$20.00



Lily, Bellingham hybrids

7251 **Regale album** Same habit of growth as Regal; the flowers, however, are pure white. They are just as easy to grow, perfectly hardy, established plants having as many as 25 blooms to a stem. Flowers are large, funnel-shaped, and heavily scented. Bloom in July and grow 3 to 5 ft. tall.

60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75; 25 for \$11.00

7262 **Bellingham hybrids** New strain of hardy lilies, ranging in color from clear yellow through yellow-orange to bright orange-red with scarlet tipped petals, the majority intensely spotted with brown or reddish brown. We can supply mixed colors only. About 5 ft. tall bearing up to 20 gaily colored, long lasting, recurved flowers in June and July. Likes partial shade.

60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75; 25 for \$11.00

7246 **Centifolium hybrids** Immense, white, funnel-shaped, fragrant green through tints of pink to brownish purple. These gorgeously colored hybrids bloom in July and August and when established grow up to 6 ft. tall. Prefer partial shade. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7263 Enchantment New upright growing hardy lily of a most intense shade of nasturtium-red. Flowers are large, cup-shaped, well formed, long lasting and are produced on straight, stiff stems 3 ft. and more tall in late June and early July. Sure to attract attention. (U. S. Plant Patent 862.)
60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75; 25 for \$11.00

7247 **Henryi** (Yellow Show Lily) Brilliant salmon-orange flowers with reddish brown spots and a green central line in each petal. Blooms in late July and August. Sometimes called the Yellow Speciosum Lily as petals reflex. 4 to 6 ft. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7248 Orange Triumph Erect, large, broad-petaled, cup-shaped light produced in clusters of 7 or 8 atop strong 4 ft. plants in July and August. It is of the easiest culture in any ordinary garden soil, light or heavy. Very hardy.

50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75



Enchantment Lily



Henryl or Yellow Show Lily



Orange Triumph Lily (umbellatum type)

Tenuifolium or Coral Lily



Tigrinum giganteum or Giant Tiger Lily

7252 **Speciosum album** (White Show Lily) Large white blooms with golden green midrib, the frilly edged petals being attractively rolled back while the stamens and pistil curl out from the flower itself. A handsome, graceful, free blooming lily; August and September. 3 ft. and more tall. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.10; 6 for \$4.00; 12 for \$7.50

7253 **Speciosum rubrum** (Show lily) Beautiful white flowers suffused rose-pink and spotted crimson. The petals are gracefully reflexed. Blooms in August and September with four to ten flowers per stem; well established plants often have more. Grows 3 to 4 ft. tall. Universal favorite. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$5.75

7255 **Tenuifolium** (The Lovely Coral Lily of Siberia) Small, nodding, deep coralred flowers with strongly reflexed petals of waxy texture, borne during June and July on slender stems about 18 in. tall. Charming lily for border or rock garden; does well in any good, well-drained soil in a sunny location.

50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7256 **Tigrinum fl. pl.** (Double Tiger Lily) Bright salmon-red double flowers spotted purplish black. Showy blooms during August and September. Hardy and robust; grows anywhere in ordinary garden soil. The only double flowered lily that we list. 4 ft. and more tall. Nice for backgrounds. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$8.75

7257 **Tigrinum giganteum** (Giant Tiger Lily) Erect, sturdy plants, 3 to 4 ft. tall with many large blooms of bright salmon-red densely spotted with purplish black; petals reflex and roll back most gracefully. Blooms in August and September. Very hardy. Easily grown; in fact, it is so widely grown in this country, that it is thought of as a native lily. Lasts for years. 45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50

## Lily Bulbs, continued



Speciosum rubrum or Show Lily

#### Four Glorious Hardy Garden Lilies

Henryi, Regale album,
Speciosum album
and Speciosum rubrum

8944—4 Bulbs, 1 of each, value \$2.45 for only \$2.25

8945—12 Bulbs, 3 of each, value \$6.75 for only 6.25

8946—24 Bulbs, 6 of each, value \$12.80 for only 12.00

# 7261 Gloriosa Lily LILY ROTHSCHILDIANA

A most unusual and fascinating garden lily in that it will climb if it has something nearby to which it may attach itself. Leaves are elongated, soft green with curling tendrils on the tips with which they cling to a fence, trellis, string or wire.

Lily Rothschildiana is exotic in color and shape. The petals are sharply recurved, brilliant red bordered golden yellow—a striking bicolor contrast, the red becoming darker as flowers age. Planted in full sun, the colorings are more brilliant but plants become stockier, shorter and the stems of less length. Blooms have remarkable keeping qualities so make wonderful cut flowers. They also make attractive pot plants.

Roots are entirely unlike any of the other lilies—they do not have scales but are somewhat like a small dahlia tuber, 4 to 6 in. long and a trifle thicker than a lead pencil. Plant in a horizontal position, 4 to 5 in. deep in full sun or semi-shade. They do best in a sandy soil, preferably on the acid side; it is essential that any soil in which tubers are planted be well drained. Not hardy except in frost-free sections.

This unique and interesting lily is a species discovered in East Africa. Early records show it was grown on the estate of the Hon. Walter Rothschild of England, for whom it was named. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.50; 12 for \$12.50



Gloriosa or Rothschildiana Lily

## Burpee's DAHLIA ROOTS

Each year on our Fordhook Farms we try out hundreds of varieties of dahlias and select those that are the best growers, freest bloomers, and which we recommend as the best for you to plant. All are listed here, with some outstanding varieties that we have created. Whether you select the massive Formal or Informal Decorative, the lovely Cactus, Semi-Cactus or the small Pompon varieties, you will be delighted with the results.

Cultural directions are sent with every order for Dahlia roots. We supply strong root divisions from field-grown clumps which are guaranteed to produce satisfactory results or your money will be refunded. All roots are sent prepaid anywhere in the U. S.

The American Dahlia Society has adopted a classification for all dahlias according to the formation of the flowers. After each name

we use initials to denote the class to which that variety belongs.

F. D. = Formal Decorative; I. D. = Informal Decorative; C = Cactus; S. C. = Semi-Cactus.

### FORMAL AND INFORMAL DECORATIVE DAHLIAS



8070 Andries Wonder (I.D.) Orange petals touched pink on golden base. Enormous. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8005 Arthur Godfrey (F. D.) Orient red with orange or buff shadings. Immense. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8030 Aristos (I.D.) Enormous velvety violet-red flowers tipped white on strong stiff stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8031 Big Red (I.D.) Lovely, vibrant, russet orange-red, lightening somewhat toward edge of petals. Very large blooms. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8025 Charmaine (I. D.) Immense lavender blooms with orchid suffusion. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8032 Clarium Kelton (I. D.) Flame-red with a yellow reverse, Free blooming. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8033 **Commando** (F. D.) Large, dark lavender flowers; the best of its color. Striking. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00

**8006 Croydon Masterpiece (F. D.)** Salmon-orange suffused coppery tan. Huge. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

**8020 D-Day (F. D.)** Medium sized, bright rose; prolific and prized for cutting. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00

8043 Essie Smith (I.D.) One of the largest. Color varies from layender-pink to layender. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8024 Five Star General (F. D.) Light pink, edged and shaded canary-yellow. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8039 Full Moon (I. D.) Clear canary yellow flowers of excellent form and color. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

#### Five Extra Choice Decorative Dahlias

Commando, exquisite shade of dark lavender Essie Smith, lavender-pink to lavender Mrs. George Le Boutillier, deep rich carmine-red Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen, leading pure white Sherwood Peach, yellowish buff

8911 — SPECIAL: One root each of these 5 named varieties, value \$5.50 for only \$5.00

8050 Lilac Time (I. D.) Rich, striking shade of warm lavender. Good, stiff stems. Rich, striking shade of warm lavender. 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8051 Lois Walcher (F. D.) One of the finest bi-colors, pansy-purple tipped white. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8052 Mrs. George Le Boutillier (I. D.) Deep rich carmine-red; commands attention. 75¢ each; 3 for \$2.00; 6 for \$3.75

8027 Mrs. Hester Pape (I. D.) Very large, reddish purple flowers on strong stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8002 Mrs. Wm. S. Knudsen (F. D.) Best white for cutting, exhibition and garden. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8053 Nagel's Sensation (I. D.) Very large salmon-rose blooms with lemon center. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8174 Pink Giant (I. D.) Clear tyrian pink flowers of immense size on long stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8055 Porto Bello Gold (F. D.) Large, gleaming gold flowers are ideal for all purposes. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00

8066 Purity (Islip) (F. D.) Tall healthy plants bearing pure white flowers in abundance. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00

8013 Radiant Beauty (I. D.) Extra large flowers variegated red and yellow. Showy. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8084 Red Eagle (F. D.) Vivid red for either exhibition or cutting. Fine keeper. Vivid red for either exhibition or \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8121 Red Giant (F. D.) Very sturdy plant bearing large flowers of spectrum red. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00

8057 Scarlet Giant (F. D.) Striking scarlet flowers of large size and perfect form. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8063 Sherwood Peach (I.D.) Yellowish buff blooms of great depth on strong stems. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8037 **Terpo** (I. D.) Attractive, bright vermilion-red blooms of nice form and large size. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

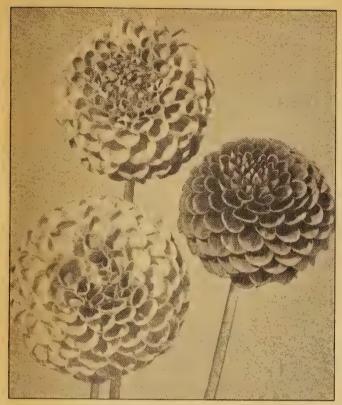
8125 Victory (F. D.) Rose-pink suffused gold. A real favorite for sheer beauty. Good keeper. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.75; 6 for \$5.00

8067 Whirlaway (I. D.) Soft lemon-yellow. Rich glossy green holly-like foliage. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8085 White Supreme (F. D.) A nice all-purpose white that bears its blooms profusely. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25



### Dahlia Roots, continued



Pompon Dahlias

#### POMPON DAHLIAS

Pompon Dahlias have always been favorites with flower lovers and dahlia fanciers. These smallest of all dahlias combine so many pleasant features that they justly deserve a place in every garden. They grow most freely, require little care after planting, and bring forth a wealth of blooms, rewarding the grower with a generous supply of gorgeous cut flowers during the late summer and fall. Plants are of stocky growth, quite branching and extremely free flowering. Nice for borders; invaluable for table decoration, as they keep in good condition for a long while after cutting.

8000 **Albino** Small, pure white flowers of perfect form are freely borne on strong stems. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8001 Amber Queen Attractive, well-formed, button-like amber blooms shaded apricot. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8003 Belle of Springfield Very small, round, long-stemmed blooms of bright glowing red. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50

8007 Golden Queen Dainty little blooms of a pure rich yellow, Always admired. Dainty little blooms of a pure rich yellow, Always admired. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50

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8089 Morning Mist A showy flower of white tipped lavender; rosy lavender at center. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50

8009 Peggy Wood Charming, orange tipped white blooms are freely produced.

60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8073 Rosa Wilmoth Deep rose-pink, medium-sized blooms of great appeal. Good grower. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.50

**8026 Tip Top** Medium-sized round blooms of an intense fiery crimson. Bright and cheerful. **60**¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

8010 Yellow Gem Pleasing shade of rich creamy yellow. Very attractive cut flower. 60¢ each; 3 for \$1.50; 6 for \$2.75

#### Five Charming Pompon Dahlias

Amber Queen (amber shaded apricot),
Albino (pure white), Peggy Wood (orange),
Rosa Wilmoth (rose-pink) and Yellow Gem

8909—SPECIAL: One root each, value \$2.90 for \$2.50 8910—SPECIAL: Three roots each, value \$7.35 for 6.75

#### **Dahlias are Lovely for Cutting**

They will last longer if, after they are cut, the lower leaves are removed and the stems plunged in water as hot as the hand can bear. When the water cools, put flowers in a container of cold water. Dahlias should be kept away from heat and drafts.



#### CACTUS DAHLIAS

8069 American Judge (S.C.) Golden yellow; salmon-orange shadings on outer petals. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8046 Aumonier Chandelon (C) Neyron-rose shading lighter at center. Pleasing. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

**8036 Fay Beaton** (**s. C.**) One of the best pure whites of true semi-cactus form. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8071 **Good Earth (C)** Purest pink flowers in great profusion on wiry, long stems. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8038 Jane Lausche (S. C.) Rosy mauve petals heavily tipped white. Good bicolor. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.50; 6 for \$8.50

**8045 Mary Astor** (**S. C.**) Rosy lavender, paler toward the edges. Fine exhibition semi-cactus variety of great popularity. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

8042 Preference (C) Salmon-orange shaded violet toward center. Distinct, unusual. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

**8040 Reisen Wonder (S. C.)** Exquisite coloring—rosy crimson becoming lighter in center. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8086 Shower of Gold (C) Light yellow flowers of good size and form. Fine in every way. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.50; 6 for \$6.25

8004 Son of Satan (C) Immense bright scarlet flowers on long, strong stems. Under some conditions the blooms appear as semi-cactus. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 6 for \$7.50

8054 The Cardinal (S. C.) Nicely formed flowers of bright cardinal-red which stand well out of the foliage on perfect stems. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.00; 6 for \$9.00

#### Four Beautiful Cactus Dahlias

Fay Beaton (white), Good Earth (pink), Shower of Gold (yellow) and Son of Satan (scarlet)

8915—SPECIAL: One root each, value \$6.00 for \$5.50 8916—SPECIAL: Two roots each, value \$12.00 for 10.00

## Burpee's Bargain Collection of Decorative and Cactus Dahlias

**Our selection** from those varieties we may have in surplus when your order is filled. Your opportunity to get some fine named giant dahlias at a real bargain price.

8917—SPECIAL: One root each, 6 varieties for \$4.50

8918—SPECIAL: One root each, 12 varieties for 8.00

## Gladiolus Bulbs

Burpee's famous gladiolus are grown and admired wherever beautiful flowers are known. They make attractive displays in the garden, planted either in beds or in groups here and there in perennial or annual borders and are ideal for house decoration. If the spikes are cut when the bottom flower shows color, all the buds, clear to the top, will open. They are easily grown in any good, well-drained soil.

The gladiolus bulbs that we offer are large, 1½ in. and more across and will produce the largest flowers and the tallest spikes. All Burpee bulbs are guaranteed to bloom or your money back. We offer an extra choice selection of named varieties on this and the opposite page.

You may order 25 bulbs or more of the same variety at the 100 rate.

Cultural directions are printed on every bag containing the bulbs.



Elizabeth the Queen

#### **Best Five Gladiolus**

Elizabeth the Queen, White Gold, Harrisburger, Spic and Span and Spotlight

8924—15 Bulbs, 3 of each variety, value \$2.95 for \$2.75

8925—30 Bulbs, 6 of each variety, value \$5.05 for 4.75

8926—60 Bulbs, 12 of each variety, value \$8.70 for 8.00

8288 Abu Hassan Blooms of good size, deep velvety violet-blue with darker throat markings. Early. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8290 Bagdad Smoky old rose, deeper toward the edges and lighter in the throat; faint creamy blotch marked with pink on lower petals. Large flowers. 3 for  $55 \not\in$ ; 6 for  $95 \not\in$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8263 **Beacon** Bright rose-scarlet with large cream blotch. Spikes are tall and straight; flowers somewhat ruffled, thus adding to their attractiveness. 3 for  $55 \not\in$ ; 6 for  $95 \not\in$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8249 Benjamin Britten Strong growing, tall straight spikes of purplish lavender set off by a contrasting white throat. Striking and distinctive combination. 3 for 55%; 6 for 95%; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8389 Blue Beauty Medium blue shading darker toward the edges. Many wide open, nicely placed blooms. Must be seen to be appreciated. 3 for 60%; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8247 Bold Face Striking, deep salmon-pink with contrasting white throat brushed with black-red mark. Opens eight 5 in. blooms on a tall spike.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8260 Bouton d'Or Lightly ruffled, deep yellow blooms with 8 to 10 open at one time on tall, upright spikes. A different "yellow" we are sure you will like. 3 for  $55 \, \varepsilon$ ; 6 for  $95 \, \varepsilon$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8292 Burma Very deep rose shading somewhat lighter in the throat. 7 to 10 deeply ruffled flowers open at one time. Wonderful exhibition variety.

3 for  $55 \notin$ ; 6 for  $95 \notin$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8248 Chamouny Light cerise-rose delicately edged lighter silvery rose. One of the most distinctive. 3 for  $55 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 6 for  $95 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8265 **Daisie Mae** Rather unusual colorings—clear orange shading to pink with a cherry-red marking in throat. Very tall, strong grower with 8 flowers open.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8309 **Dieppe** Deep salmon-red with a darker blotch—an attractive, distinctive color. Opens 7 to 9 large blooms at one time. Tall, strong, vigorous spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8302 Elizabeth the Queen The best and most beautiful, clear lavender; has a touch of rose in the throat. Mammoth, heavily ruffled blooms. Opens 7 to 8 at one time. 3 for  $50 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 6 for  $90 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$9.00

8277 Elmer's Rose Like Noweta Rose, but more of a rose shade. Intensely ruffled flowers of wonderful substance. Stretchy flower heads of 22 to 24 buds. 3 for  $60 \not\in$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8310 Ethel Cave Cole Pure light pink shading to a creamy throat. One of the largest pinks and very popular as a cut flower; showy in the garden. 3 for 55%; 6 for 95%; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8266 Evangeline Long flower spike with 8 or 9 large, pastel pink blooms open at one time. Excellent for home and show. One of the tallest growing.

3 for  $60 \, \phi$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8253 Florence Nightingale Glistening white. Wonderful for show and cut flower purposes. 3 for  $55 \not \in$ ; 6 for  $95 \not \in$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8250 Friendship Lovely ruffled, glistening true pink flowers on tall, slender spikes. Six to eight 5 in. blooms open at once. An early variety that is fine all season long. 3 for  $60 \not \in$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8314 General Eisenhower Brilliant begonia-rose flowers of immense size, often as much as  $7\frac{1}{2}$  in. across. Tall, well-filled spikes of stately growth.

3 for  $60\frac{1}{2}$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8278 Gold A beautiful yellow, especially for cut flowers. Color and ruffling are extremely fine. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8281 Harrisburger A clear, deep red that will be popular for years to come. As many as nine open 5 in. flowers, nicely placed, on sturdy 5 ft. spikes.

3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8264 Hopman's Glory Tall; bright yellow. Buds show color entire length of flowering head. 3 for  $55 \not\in$ ; 6 for  $95 \not\in$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8323 **Huntress** Light pinkish lavender with 6 to 8 large flowers open at one time on a nicely formed tall spike. Early to bloom, Greatly admired.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8268 King David Satiny, ruffled purple flowers with a narrow silver picotee edge around petals. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8331 Leading Lady Creamy white sport of Picardy. Giant flowers on long straight stems. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8338 Leeuwenhorst Light rose slightly tinted with lavender. Flowers are huge; stems tall and strong.  $3 \text{ for } 55 \text{ $\rlap/e}$ ;  $6 \text{ for } 95 \text{ $\rlap/e}$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8282 **Leif Ericsson** The most widely used cream colored gladiolus for all purposes. Eight to ten lightly ruffled 6 in. flowers open out of 20 buds on a husky spike.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

5% DDT Dust For the control of Gladiolus thrip and other sucking and leaf eating pests. Before planting gladiolus bulbs, remove any loose husks, put bulbs in paper bag, add enough 5% DDT dust to completely coat the bulb surfaces when agitated in the closed bag. When plants are 6 in. high, dust them with 5% DDT dust and repeat applications frequently.

9266—1 lb. sifter top canister 85¢

9401—3 lb. canister \$1.65

#### Six Beautiful Gladiolus

A lovely collection of 6 different varieties, especially selected for their large flowers, long spikes and desirable colors. Valuable for exhibition, garden or home use. Each variety separately bagged and labeled.

Bouton d'Or, Burma, Florence Nightingale, Friendship, Red Charm and Violet Charm

8929—18 Bulbs, 3 each of the above six varieties, value \$3.55 for \$3.25

8930-36 Bulbs, 6 each of the above six 5.50 varieties, value \$6.05 for

8931 — 72 Bulbs, 12 each of the above six varieties, value \$10.40 for 9.50

8339 Lipstick Shell pink strikingly blotched bright rose-red. Flowers are large, somewhat ruffled and of good texture.

3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

**8269 Mansoer** Rich, deep shade of red with a brownish suffusion. Spikes often grow 5 ft. tall with 6 to 8 flowers open. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8255 Marshall Montgomery Shining deep maroon. Large wide open flowers of excellent form on very tall straight spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8332 Masquerade Amber-yellow with distinct scarlet-carmine blotch. Very attractive flower and a striking novelty.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8325 Miss Wisconsin Truly beautiful, rose colored giant flowers on strong spikes. Wonderful for show purposes. 3 for  $55 \, \varepsilon$ ; 6 for  $95 \, \varepsilon$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8345 Morning Kiss Large, well placed, white flowers shaded rose; 8 to 10 open at one time. Tall grower. Fine for exhibition.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8352 New Europe One of the most outstanding Holland varieties. Vivid garnet-red blooms, different from other reds. Very large.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8279 Noweta Rose More of a lavender color than rose. Spikes often 5 ft. tall with 10 flowers open. Grand for exhibition.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8256 Pactolus Apricot-cream with orange-red blotches on lower petals. Makes a spectacular color effect. Imposing spike. 3 for 55 %; 6 for 95 %; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8361 Pandora Soft geranium-pink with pale rosy red featherings on two lower petals which add to its beauty.

3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

**8272 Patrol** Clear light apricot with a golden throat. Up to 10 flowers open on a 5 ft. spike. A favorite for all purposes. 3 for  $60 \, e$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8348 Paul Rubens A new shade in gladiolus—dark reddish violet. Several large flowers open at one time. Tall, strong spike.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8271 **Picardy** Immense spikes of rich apricot-pink blooms. Individual flowers are extremely large, slightly ruffled and wax-like. 3 for  $55 \, \varepsilon$ ; 6 for  $95 \, \varepsilon$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8280 Polynesia A pure salmon, deeper than Picardy, with yellow throat and salmon blotch. Up to 10 flowers open at one time. 3 for  $60 \, \text{\'e}$ ; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8284 Purple Burma Up to ten 6 in. flowers of a lustrous, rich, deep, velvety purple open at once. Heavy ruffling and wonderful texture add to the beauty of the lovely, regally colored spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8273 Ravel Large violet-blue flowers with reddish brown markings. 4½ to 5 in. across. Tall upright spikes. Good grower.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8366 Red Charm One of the very finest medium reds from Europe. Does well under unfavorable conditions. Vigorous grower. 3 for  $55 \not\in$ ; 6 for  $95 \not\in$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8274 Red Wing Rich scarlet-red with a small deeper red feathering in the throat. Immense flowers on tall spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8283 Rose Charm Large flowers of a lovely light rose, usually seven open at one time. A good choice for exhibition spikes.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8257 **Salman's Glory** Pure light cream with carmine blotch. A supreme beauty and a giant. One of the very best fancies.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8380 Silver Wings Splendid new large flowered white sport of Picardy. Blooms are wide open, well placed and lightly ruffled.
3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8252 Snow Princess Fine pure white—one of the best. Flowers are large, spikes long and straight. Usually a prize winner.

3 for 50¢; 6 for 90¢; 12 for \$1.50; 100 for \$9.00

## Gladiolus Bulbs, continued

8333 **Spic and Span** Lovely rich pink ruffled flowers of perfect form. Many open at one time. Quite tall. Strong grower. 3 for 55¢; 6 for 95¢; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

8404 **Spotlight** Beautiful deep golden yellow with small flaming scarlet blotch in throat. Unexcelled for cutting purposes. 3 for 60%; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8276 **Tivoli** Warm, pure pink and one of the best all 'round rosepink gladiolus for garden and cutting. 8 to 10 open flowers. 3 for 60%; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8259 Valeria Distinctive light red shade; well-placed, prettily ruffled flowers, borne on tall, stiffly erect spikes. Much desired.

3 for 60¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

8287 Violet Charm Clear, pale lavender-violet with a deeper violet feather on a cream throat. Eight to ten 5 in. flowers, open at one time on 20-bud spikes that are highly prized for exhibition. 3 for 75¢; 6 for \$1.25; 12 for \$2.25; 100 for \$17.00

8294 White Gold Enormous, lightly ruffled cream colored blooms blending to gold in the throat. Rather spectacular. 3 for  $55 \, \varepsilon$ ; 6 for  $95 \, \varepsilon$ ; 12 for \$1.60; 100 for \$10.00

#### 8368 BURPEE'S FORDHOOK HYBRIDS

Select assortment of gladiolus, representing a magnificent, showy mixture of only the choicest large-flowered varieties in a wide array of colors. Our large bulbs will produce the tallest spikes with the greatest number of blooms on each. Prized for garden and cutting. 6 for 60¢; 12 for \$1.00; 100 for \$7.00; 1000 for \$65.00



Red Charm Gladiolus

## Burpee's Bulbs and Roots Can be supplied only from January 1 until May 15 while they are dormant

Some of the most beautiful flowering and foliage plants are grown from bulbs or roots. We offer and describe on this and the following pages a most select assortment of the finest, easy-to-grow kinds, for indoor and outdoor culture.

"How to grow" directions are printed on the bags containing the bulbs. At prices quoted, all Flower Bulbs and Roots are sent prepaid anywhere in the U.S.

#### TUBEROUS ROOTED BEGONIAS

Most decorative as pot-plants, blooming for many weeks during spring and early summer. During the summer, plants may be taken from their pots and set in the garden or the pots may be buried up to their rims. In either case choose a semi-shady location and enjoy a wonderful display of lovely flowers throughout the summer until late fall. Not hardy.





#### Frilled and Crested Begonias

8836 Mixed Colors Gorgeous blooms, some with frilled and ruffled petals, like lower flower; others have a crested center. **LARGE BULBS:** 45¢ each; 3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50

#### Rosebud Begonias

8837 Pink Shades Young flowers resemble rosebuds in shades of rose and pink. **LARGE BULBS:** 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50

#### **Giant Double Flowered Begonias**

In this group, the flowers are larger than other doubles—some with smooth petals, others ruffled and waved. Extremely popular for pots and bedding in a partially shaded location. Regonies are not bedding.

omaded focation, begon	las are not hardy.
8830 Orange	Any of these
8825 Pink	6 separate colors:
8826 Salmon	LARGE BULBS:
8827 Scarlet	45¢ each;
8829 White	3 for \$1.25; 12 for \$4.50;
8831 Yellow	25 for \$8.50

8901—6 Bulbs, 1 each of the above 6 colors, for only \$2.25

8902—18 Bulbs, 3 each 6.50 of the above 6 colors, for only

MIXED COLORS We offer bulbs in two sizes—large and small. Plant the large bulbs for the biggest and most flowers.

8833 **LARGE BULBS:** 3 for \$1.25; 6 for \$2.30; 12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50 8797 SMALL BULBS: 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$4.00

#### Picotee Begonias

8835 Mixed Colors Flowers are touble with a contrasting narrow border of a different color. LARGE BULBS: 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50

#### **Hanging Begonias**

8815 Mixed Colors Large double flowers in masses on gracefully suspending stems. Fine for hanging baskets, window boxes or pots. Choice assortment of the most popular colors.

LARGE BULBS: 45¢ each;
3 for \$1.20; 6 for \$2.30;
12 for \$4.50; 25 for \$8.50



Fancy Leaved Caladium

#### CALADIUM

Fancy Leaved, Mixed Varieties Gorgeously colored foliage plants with red, green, and white variegated leaves in many different patterns. Nice in pots or shady places in the garden. Not hardy. We offer bulbs in two sizes—large and small. Plant the large bulbs if the biggest leaves are desired; the small bulbs will produce smaller plants with much smaller leaves the first year. We offer them at specially low prices.

3 LARGE BULBS: 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00 8883 LARGE 8884 **SMALL BULBS:** 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$2.00; 25 for \$5.00

8882 Esculentum (Elephant's Ear) Plants produce large, broad green leaves; effective singly or in masses. Like plenty of water when growing and rich soil. Recommended for outdoor growing only; not hardy.

35¢ each; 3 for \$1.00;
6 for \$1.90; 12 for \$3.75



Montbretia, Mixed Colors

#### MONTBRETIA

8892 Mixed Tall graceful spikes of gaily colored flowers like miniature gladiolus in shades of scarlet, orange, yellow and salmon. Good garden flower in bloom for many weeks during midsummer and early fall. Ideal for cutting. Not hardy in cold climates; bulbs should be lifted in late fall and stored during the winter months. and stored during the winter months.

3 for 40¢; 6 for 75¢;

12 for \$1.40; 100 for \$9.50

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#### LILY SPECIOSUM ALBUM

7252 (White Show Lily) Handsome, graceful, free flowering white hardy lily, 3 ft. and more tall, blooming in August and September. Prized for garden decoration and valuable for cutting. Reflexed petals add to its beauty.

75¢ per bulb; 3 for \$2.10; 6 for \$4.00; 12 for \$7.50



#### LILY SPECIOSUM RUBRUM

7253 (Show Lily) The beautiful white flowers suffused rose-pink and spotted crimson are universal favorites for garden and cutting. August-September. Hardy. 3 to 4 ft. tall.

60¢ per bulb; 3 for \$1.65; 6 for \$3.10;
12 for \$5.75

"How to grow" directions are printed on the bags containing the bulbs.

#### HARDY AMARYLLIS

7648 Halli Leaves produced in early spring ripen and disappear in June or July. About a month later, as if by magic, stalks 2 to 3 ft. tall appear crowned with a whorl of 8 to 12 lavender-pink, lily-like flowers. Because of its unique habit of growth, it is often referred to as the Magic or Mystery Lily. For outdoor planting only. Nice for cutting. Botanically known as lycoris squamigera. 50¢ per bulb; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00

Burpee Bulbs are sold under the same liberal guarantee as Burpee Seeds—satisfaction assured or your money back within a year.

#### FANCY LEAVED CALADIUMS

8883 Mixed Varieties Easily grown, showy, gorgeously colored foliage plants with curiously marked leaves in bizarre combinations of red, green, pink, white, etc. Make decorative pot plants and lovely for planting in partially shaded places in the garden, especially in groups of three or more. We offer a mixture of the best varieties for a grand show indoors or out. Not hardy. 50¢ per bulb; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00



#### BURPEE'S GIANT GLOXINIAS

Make beautiful pot-plants for summer and winter culture, the large, open, inverted, bell-shaped, richly colored flowers being borne profusely above velvety foliage. Gloxinias are not hardy.

8873 Blue with white border A most showy combination of colors.

8865 Violet Blue Rich and distinctive shade that is always admired.

8853 Bright Red Lively, dazzling and intense tone of red; popular.

8867 Scarlet with white border Greatly admired for its brilliancy.

8861 Deep Scarlet Glowing, velvety red, large, showy blooms; striking.

8855 Pure White Glistening pure white, no markings. A favorite.

LARGE BULBS: Each, 50¢; 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50

8940—6 BULBS, one each of the above six separate colors, value \$3.00 for only

\$2.50

8941—18 BULBS, three each of the above six colors, 18 bulbs in all, value \$8.10 for only

7.00

8875 Mixed Colors The best colors for a grand display of summer and winter blooms. Large bulbs. 3 for \$1.35; 12 for \$5.00; 25 for \$9.50 winter blooms. Large bulbs.



Gloxinia, Scarlet with White Border

#### GIANT CANNAS

Stately plants with large foliage of tropical appearance and clusters of massive, well-formed blooms on strong stems. Do best in full sun and rich soil. All have green foliage except where noted. Showy throughout the summer and fall. Not hardy. We send out dormant, 2 to 3 eye root divisions and suggest starting them indoors; easy-togrow planting instructions are included with each order of roots.

8427 Halli Rich, silvery pink. Low growing, free blooming plants. 3 ft.

8447 Hungaria Magnificent deep rose-pink flowers; charming. 3½ ft.

8432 Indiana Glowing orange flowers freely borne in large heads. 5 ft.

8478 King Humbert Orange-scarlet flowers, bronzy red foliage. 41/2 ft.

8435 Louis Cayeux Beautiful rose-pink flowers in abundance. 4½ ft.

8434 Richard Wallace Bright canary-yellow flowers; free blooming. 4 ft.

8476 The Ambassador Cherry-red flowers; rich bronze foliage. 5 ft.

8416 The President Bright, glowing scarlet; profuse bloomer. 5 ft.

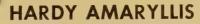
8419 Wintzer's Colossal Intense scarlet blooms in very large trusses. 5 ft.

8486 Wyoming Rich orange flowers; stately bronze foliage. 6 ft.

8437 Yellow King Humbert Yellow marked with crimson dots. 41/2 ft.

Any of the above Giant Cannas:

40¢ each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.85; 12 for \$3.50; 100 for \$25.00

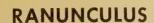


Magic or Mystery Lily

7648 Halli Leaves produced in early spring ripen and disappear in June or July. About a month later, as if by magic, stalks 2 to 3 ft. tall appear crowned with a whorl of 8 to 12 lavender-pink, lily-like flowers. For outdoor planting only. Nice for cutting. Hardy amaryllis, botanically Lycoris squamigera, do well in any good, well-drained soil, in a sunny location.

50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35;
6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00

Amaryllis for pot culture, next page.



7653 Tecolote Giants The largest and most magnificent strain ever offered. Giant double and semi-double flowers, 3 in. and more across, are freely borne on strong stems, 12 to 15 in. long. Our mixture contains a wonderful range of mixture contains a wonderful range of colors—yellows, from straw to deep golden yellow; all shades of red; orange; pink; many ringed and tipped with a deeper color. Do best in a shady location and in moderately rich soil. Fine for cutting. Not reliably hardy north of Washington, D. C.,

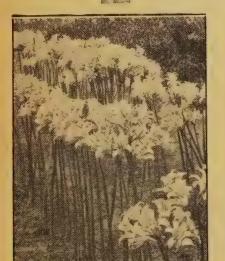
except in warm, sheltered locations. 3 for 30 ¢; 6 for 50 ¢; 12 for 85 ¢; 100 for \$5.60



Ranunculus, Tecolote Giants

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Hardy Amaryllis, Halli

Calla, White (Ethiopica)

Tigridia—a gorgeous, colorful flower

#### TIGRIDIA—Tigerflower Mexican Shell Flower

8895 Mixed Brilliant, exotic blooms in scarlet, rose, yellow and orange. Flowers have six petals, the three smaller ones being blotched with carmine, purple or mahogany and often tinged pink, lavender or apricot. 2 ft. tall. Not hardy. 3 for 55¢; 6 for \$1.00; 12 for \$1.85; 100 for \$12.50

#### CALLAS—popular pot plants

Easily raised plants for growing in pots or outdoors during the summer. They should have rich soil for best results. Have always been popular for pot culture. Not hardy.

7649 Golden Yellow (Elliottiana) Showy plants with beautiful golden yellow blooms in lovely contrast to the green leaves, which are attractively spotted white. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00

7651 White (Ethiopica) Large trumpet-shaped white flowers and arrow-shaped green foliage. Well known. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00



Amaryllis, Giant American Hybrids

#### **AMARYLLIS**

7277 Giant American Hybrids Easily grown, showy pot-plants with lily-like flowers of immense size. Colors range from the richest self-colors, as crimson, scarlet, and bright red, to rose, red and crimson markings on pure white grounds. We cannot supply separate colors. Giant American Hybrid American are not bandon. ican Hybrid Amaryllis are not hardy.

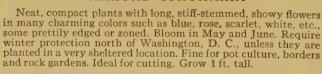
60¢ each; 3 for \$1.65;
6 for \$3.10; 12 for \$6.00

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#### ISMENE — Peruvian Daffodil

8890 Calathina Sweet scented white flowers of quaint but attractive form. Showy whether grown in garden or pots. Not hardy. 50¢ each; 3 for \$1.35; 6 for \$2.60; 12 for \$5.00; 100 for \$35.00

#### ANEMONE CORONARIA



7642 Blue Poppy Single flowers in a wide range of blue shades.

7643 De Caen Poppy Flowered Single flowers in a choice range of rich and brilliant colors for a grand show.

7644 His Excellency Large single dazzling scarlet blooms.

7645 St. Brigid Semi-double and double blooms in mixture.

Any of the above Anemones: 3 for 40¢; 6 for 70¢; 12 for \$1.25; 100 for \$8.00

#### TUBEROSE—wonderfully sweet scented

8896 Excelsior, Dwarf Pearl Double, fragrant, wax-like flowers closely set on upright sturdy spikes 2 to 3 ft. tall. Nice in the garden, besides being highly prized as long lasting cut flowers. Roots are not hardy and should be treated as annuals. Plant new roots each year.

3 for 50¢; 6 for 90¢; 12 for \$1.75; 100 for \$12.00

#### **OXALIS**—easily grown indoors or in gardens

8894 Lasiandra Rich rosy crimson flowers in umbels. Free-blooming little plants which are showy in the border, rock garden, in pots or hanging baskets. Not hardy; dig before frost if planted outdoors. Plant in quantity for best effect.

12 for 50¢; 100 for \$3.25; 200 for \$6.00

#### Bullis and Roots



Calla, Golden Yellow (Elliottiana)



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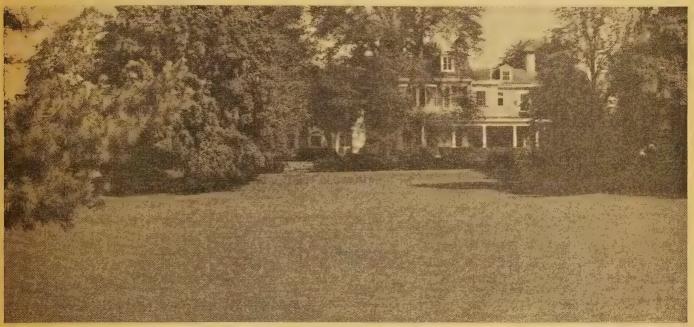
Tuberose, Excelsior Dwarf Pearl

# Burpee's Lawn Grass Seed

SHIPPED PREPAID ANYWHERE IN THE U.

The best time to start your lawn, or to repair it, is during the cool weather of early spring or in early fall. The weather at these times is favorable for the development of domestic grass but unfavorable for most weeds and wild annual grasses. Why not plan now to have a luxuriant lawn that will add to the beauty of your home?

The Burpee leaflet, "GN 43 Construction and Maintenance of The Burpee leanet, GN 45 Constitution and Maintenance of the Lawn," will be sent free upon your request. For new lawns, sow 1 lb. of grass seed to 200 sq. ft. of space; use 100 to 150 lbs. per acre. 1 lb. MERION Kentucky Bluegrass is enough for 500 to 750 sq. ft. To improve old lawns, use half of these quantities.



This beautiful lawn on Burpee's Fordhook Farms was produced from Burpee's Fordhook Finest Lawn Grass Seed

#### 4914 Burpee's Fordhook Finest Lawn Grass Seed

Best All-Purpose Mixture, especially prepared from the highest quality seeds that can be produced. It makes a smooth, green, velvety lawn with a thick bottom, free from clumps. Only the very best fineleaved and deep-rooted varieties of the most suitable grasses for making an even, thick mass of sod are used in this mixture. Sure to produce the best results under average conditions of soil and climate, A small quantity of white clover has been included; it helps to prevent the soil from washing.

1/2 lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.95; 5 lbs. \$7.05; 10 lbs. \$13.60; 15 lbs. \$19.65;

25 lbs. \$30.75; 50 lbs. \$60.00; 100 lbs. \$116.00

#### 4903 Fordhook Finest, Treated Seed

Same high quality mixture as above treated with Arasan and Rootone. Arasan protects seed from seed decay, damping-off, blights and root rots. Rootone helps to develop a quicker, heavier, thicker, drought-resistant turf the first season. Well worth the extra cost.

1/2 lb. 85¢; lb. \$1.55; 2 lbs. \$3.05; 5 lbs. \$7.35;

10 lbs. \$14.20; 15 lbs. \$20.55; 25 lbs. \$32.25;

50 lbs. \$63.00; 100 lbs. \$122.00

#### 4921 MERION Kentucky Bluegrass

Dense, dark green lawn grass resistant to heat, drought and leaf spot. This new grass spreads more quickly than ordinary bluegrass, has deeper roots and can be moved more closely without harming it.

1/2 lb. \$1.40; lb. \$2.50; 2 lbs. \$4.80;
5 lbs. \$11.50; 10 lbs. \$21.50

4913 Shady Nook

A specially prepared mixture suited for planting under shade trees or in shaded corners where grass usually does not thrive.

½ lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.45; 2 lbs. \$2.75; 5 lbs. \$6.65; 10 lbs. \$12.80; 15 lbs. \$18.45; 25 lbs. \$28.75; 50 lbs. \$56.00; 100 lbs. \$108.00

4905 **Terrace Sod** A blend of grasses which are deep rooted to withstand drought and hold the soil firmly and prevent it from washing away.

½ lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.00; 10 lbs. \$13.50; 15 lbs. \$19.50; 25 lbs. \$30.50; 50 lbs. \$59.50; 100 lbs. \$115.00

4916 Putting Greens Composed entirely of Bent Grasses with a preponderance of Creeping Bent. It makes a smooth, even turf that will withstand frequent close cutting and intense trampling.

1/2 lb. \$1.20; lb. \$2.25; 2 lbs. \$4.40; 5 lbs. \$10.75;
10 lbs. \$21.00; 15 lbs. \$30.75; 25 lbs. \$49.25;
50 lbs. \$97.00; 100 lbs. \$190.00

4911 Burpee's Sunnybrook

Splendid mixture that will give a long lasting deep emerald-green sod of velvety texture. Blend of selected grasses for a beautiful and enduring lawn.

1/2 lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.25; 2 lbs. \$2.40; 5 lbs. \$5.75; 10 lbs. \$11.00; 15 lbs. \$15.75; 25 lbs. \$25.00; 50 lbs. \$47.50; 100 lbs. \$90.00

4912 Golf Links Only fine-bladed grasses which will withstand frequent close cutting and heavy trampling are used in this mixture. Particularly suited for fairways and lawns subject to hard use. Contains no white clover.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $85\phi$ ; lb. \$1.55; 2 lbs. \$3.00; 5 lbs. \$7.15; 10 lbs. \$13.80; 15 lbs. \$19.95; 25 lbs. \$31.25; 50 lbs. \$61.00; 100 lbs. \$118.00

# 4904 White Dutch Clover Gardeners who prefer an extra heavy growth of clover in their lawn should add this at the rate of 4 ozs. to every 2 lbs. of grass seed. It is advisable to sow separately in order to effect a better and more even distribution. 1/4 lb. 50¢; 1/2 lb. 80¢; lb. \$1.40; 2 lbs. \$2.65; 5 lbs. \$6.40; 10 lbs. \$12.30

#### GRASSES FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES—ALL PREPAID IN THE U. S.

4917 RED TOP GRASS Rapid growing. Does well on a variety of soils and conditions. Creeping habit of growth; perennial. 1/2 lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.30; 2 lbs. \$2.50; 5 lbs. \$6.10; 10 lbs. \$11.70

4906 ENGLISH RYE GRASS Perennial grass for pasture, meadows and ½ lb. 30¢; lb. 50¢; 2 lbs. 95¢; 5 lbs. \$2.25; 10 lbs. \$4.00

4901 CHEWINGS FESCUE for sowing on sandy soil; does well in shaded places. ½ lb. 70¢; lb. \$1.30; 2 lbs. \$2.55; 5 lbs. \$6.10; 10 lbs. \$11.70

4902 KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS For lawn and pasture.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $90 \, \text{¢}$ ; lb. \$1.50; 2 lbs. \$2.90; 5 lbs. \$7.00; 10 lbs. \$13.50

**4907 SEASIDE BENT** Ideal for lawn and moist situations.  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$2.50; 2 lbs. \$4.80; 5 lbs. \$11.50; 10 lbs. \$22.00

4915 DOMESTIC RYEGRASS "nurse" grass where a quick growth is wanted. ½ lb. 25¢; lb. 45¢; 2 lbs. 75¢; 5 lbs. \$1.60; 10 lbs. \$2.90

# Insecticides, Fungicides, Plant Foods, etc.

Valuable Helps for a Satisfactory Garden. ALL SENT PREPAID anywhere in U. S.

CONTROLS FOR CHEWING AND SUCKING INSECTS AND FUNGUS DISEASES

#### Aramite 15-W

A most effective miticide. Just mix with water and spray on evergreens, roses, tomatoes or other plants. Aramite really kills those little red spiders; saves your prized plants from their destructive attack. Kills other mites, tool Cannot harm delicate flowers. Safe and easy to use. 9393—4 ozs. \$1.00; 9396—12 ozs. \$2.15

#### Arsenate of Lead

(Powdered) For use as a spray or a dust in the control of chewing and leaf-eating insects. It is recommended for use on fruit trees, vegetables and ornamentals.

9275—1 lb. \$1.10

#### **Black Leaf 40**

(Activated)

A new improved wetting and spreading nicotine sulphate containing 40% nicotine. Easy to use—no need to mix with soap. Use as a spray to kill aphis, leaf hoppers, most thrips and other soft-bodied sucking insects.

9122—2 oz. \$1.00;
9123—6 oz. \$2.10;
9124—12 oz. \$3.20

#### **Bordeaux Mixture**

(Powdered) For control of fungus diseases such as mildew, rust and blight, and is compatible with most insecticides for use on fruit, vegetables and shade trees.

9271—1 lb. \$1.00

#### 50% Chlordane (Synklor 50-W)

A dry wettable powder which gives effective control of destructive lawn and garden insects, such as ants, chinch bugs, wireworms, grasshoppers, crickets and Japanese beetle grubs. Ideal for use on roses, and ornamental trees for control of chewing insects. Destroys ants, roaches, silverfish, etc., in the home.

9352—8 oz. package \$1.65
9355—1 lb. \$2.75

#### **Tree Wound Dressing**

Complete universal tree wound dressing for fungus diseases. Corrects and prevents rot in the crotches of trees and injuries as well as the wounds of pruning. Also a complete prothe would be in finding. This could be tection against insect work. Requires no mixing; nonpoisonous. Easily applied with brush. Contains 100% active ingredients. 9324—½ pint 85¢; 9321—1 pint \$1.25

#### Garden Dust or Spray

An all-purpose insecticide-fungicide-repel-An all-purpose insecticide-lengitude-lepel-lent containing 1% Rotenone, Pyrethrins, Piperonyl Butoxide and neutral fixed cop-per. Controls such diseases as mildew, leaf spot and blights; also many insects. 9301—8 oz. Dust Gun \$1.35 9303—1 lb. canister 1.55 9406—3 lb. canister 2.75

#### SEED TREATING COMPOUND

#### **Du Pont's Arasan 75**

A new higher strength thiram seed disinfectant and protectant for all vegetable seeds, lawn grass mixtures and legumes. Permits earlier planting. Controls seed decay and damping-off. Dry application.

9223—1 oz. packet 60¢

#### Pomo-Green

(Dust or Spray)

eaf green colored Insecticide-Fungicide-

Miticide for roses and ornamentals.

9166—8 oz. Dust Gun \$1.35

9182—1 lb. canister 1.65

9405—3 lb. canister 3.50

#### 5% DDT Dust

Highly effective and efficient insecticide for use in the control of Japanese beetle, flea beetle, leaf hopper, European corn borer, corn earworm, cutworm, thrip on gladiolus and certain other external chewing insects on fruits, vegetables, flowers and ornamentals.

9266—1 lb. 85¢;

9401-3 lb. canister \$1.65

#### 5% Chlordane Dust

Sure control for ants, cutworms, Japanese beetle larvae, wireworms, earwigs, ticks, chiggers, lawn moths and chinch bugs, which cause yellowing and thin spots on lawns.

9373—1 lb. 70¢
9374—4 lbs. \$1.95

#### **Du Pont's Fermate**

An effective control for black spot and rust on roses. Control scab, black and brown rots on apples, peaches, pears and grapes. Arrests molds, mildews, anthracnose and leaf spot on vegetable, flower and ornamental plants.

9231—8 oz. canister \$1.15

#### **Kolo Fruit Tree Spray**

Convenient, dependable compound which can be safely used as a dust or spray on apples, pears, peaches, plums and other fruit trees or bushes for the control of insects and fungus diseases after dormant stage. No spreaders or safeners needed.

9292—1 lb. \$1.40; 9291—3 lbs. \$2.45

#### Dry Lime Sulfur

Recommended as a dormant spray for fruit trees before sap returns, in control of scale, insects, rust and mildew. Also used as a summer spray for fruit trees, rose bushes, shrubs and nursery stock for the control of blights, mildews, thrips and mites.

9241—1 lb. \$1.00; 9421—5 lbs. \$3.85

#### Du Pont's 50% Wettable Methoxychlor

This marvelous new insecticide spray because of its low order of toxicity to humans can be used close to harvest time. Safe on the most tender plants. Kills bean, potato, flea and Japanese beetles, cabbage worm, etc.

9281—8 oz. canister \$1.25

#### Tri-ogen African Violet Spray

Especially recommended for the control of certain insects such as ants, aphids, spider mites, thrips and white flies on African Violets and ornamental plants.

9191—6 oz. bomb \$1.00

#### **Red Arrow Garden Spray**

Non-poisonous spray contains pyrethrum, rotenone and piperonyl cyclonene which kills most garden insects. Will not leave a poisonous residue on food, plants or injure plants. Spray can be mixed with other insecticides and fungicides.

9133—1 oz. 50¢; 9315—4 ozs. \$1.25 9311—2 ozs. 75¢; 9161—1 pint 3.50

#### 1% Rotenone Dust

Controls insects on vegetable crops and flowers, leaves no poison residue. Easy to use. It is effective against bean beetle, cabbage worm, flea beetle, etc. Also controls fleas and lice on animals.

9221-1 lb. 85¢; 9276-4 lbs. \$2.25

#### Scalecide

Superior type oil for controlling scale, aphis, and mites by dormant spray. Safe and most effective spray to use on apples, peaches, etc. and other deciduous fruits; also trees, shrubs, vines, and evergreens. 9216—1 pint \$1.10; 9215—1 quart \$1.65

#### Snarol

In pellet form containing Metaldehyde, the best slug and snail killer known. Lures the pests from plants and kills fast. Particularly useful in garden and greenhouse. 9163—1 lb. 70¢; 9306—2½ lbs. \$1.25

#### Tri-ogen Rose Spray

An insecticide, fungicide and plant stimulant. Mildew and black spot easily controlled in addition to chewing and sucking insects including red spider. Controls all pests on roses if used as directed. We offer 4 sizes: E Kit protects 6 to 10 plants, A Kit 12 to 20 plants, B Kit 50 to 80 plants and C Kit 100 to 160 plants.

9243—E Kit \$1.95; 9171—B Kit \$6.50 9245—A Kit \$2.70; 9417—C Kit \$10.25 9131—12 oz. Push Button Bomb \$1.65

#### Tri-ogen Rose Dust

Superb combination dust of lindane, DDT,

9364—10 oz. Pump Gun, refillable \$1.35 9232—1 lb. Rose Dust 1.45 9422—5 lbs. Rose Dust 5.35

#### HORMONES AND SEED INOCULANTS

#### Legume Aid

Better blooms and increased yield results when you apply Legume Aid to peas, beans, soy beans, sweet peas, etc. Treating seeds of legumes before planting causes nodules to develop on the roots. These nodules gather nitrogen from the air and convert it into plant food. 9254—Garden packet, inoculates up to 5 lbs. of seed, only 20¢

#### Fruitone

A hormone spray for stopping premature drop of fruit, flowers and leaves. Spray tomato or bean blossoms with Fruitone solution for better set and larger crop. By using double strength, seedless tomatoes can be produced.

9332-2/5 oz. packet 25¢; 9331-2 ozs. \$1.00; 9141-12 ozs. \$5.25

#### Rootone with Fungicide

For better rooting of cuttings, seeds, bulbs, use this plant hormone powder. Also controls damping-off and other soil borne disease. Dust seeds and bulbs with Rootone before planting; dip cuttings into the powder before planting.

9334—1/4 oz. packet 25¢;

9335—2 ozs. \$1.00; 9113—1 lb. \$5.25

#### **Transplantone**

The hormone-vitamin stimulant. An excel-The hormone-vitamin stimulant. An excellent starter for use when setting out plants in the soil such as seedlings, shrubs or trees. Used effectively when transplanting as it hastens the formation of new roots and reduces transplant shock. This means earlier and larger crops, particularly in dry weather.

9333—½ oz. packet 25¢;

9336—3 ozs. \$1.00; 9145—1 lb. \$4.25

### INSECTICIDES, FUNGICIDES, PLANT FOODS, continued

FERTILIZERS, PLANT FOODS, ETC.

#### Gro-Stuf 20-20-20

RA-PID-GRO 23-21-17

The Original Liquid Plant Food



A MARIE

A concentrated Soluble Fertilizer for Leaf or Root Feeding. Use on house plants, roses, flower and vegetable gardens, shrubs and lawns. Contains all the necessary chemicals plus hormones and essential mineral elements needed to make "stuff grow."
9394-5 ozs. 55¢;

Dissolves instantly. Seeds germinate faster, plants grow faster, sturdier. Use on seeds in row, sprinkle

or spray on seedlings, spray on foliage all season. For

bigger and better flowers,

vegetables, lawns. Secret

formula - 23 elements. hormones, vitamins. The Pioneer in foliar feeding.

9164-1 lb. \$1.40

#### Hyponex Plant Food 7-6-19

Plant food in powder form. Simply dissolve and water all your house plants, garden flowers, vegetables, shrubs or lawn. Grows better plants faster in soil, sand or water. Being completely soluble, it assures immediate availability of growth-producing elements to the roots.

9226-1 oz. 10¢; 9222-3 ozs. 25¢; 9135-7 ozs. 50¢; 9125-1 lb. \$1.00

#### Plantabbs 11-15-20

Odorless plant food in tablet form. Ideal for all potted plants, flower boxes, and gardens.

9304— 50 tablets 40¢;

9302— 90 tablets \$1.00;

9224— 200 tablets \$1.00;

9184-1000 tablets \$3.65

#### Vermiculite

Terra-Lite Brand

An ideal soil conditioner 100% mineral. Use indoors or outside. Light weight, easy to use, sterile. Excellent as seed starter or for rooting cuttings. Use for safer bulb storage.

9263—½ peck 70¢; 9529—½ bu. \$1.30

#### **Wonder-Brel**

Containing GIBREL

The amazing new growth stimulant, Gibberellic Acid. For flowers, house plants, lawns, trees and shrubs in convenient, easy-

to-measure liquid form.

9204-2 ozs. \$1.25; 9211-4 ozs. \$2.25

9261-6 oz. Aerosol, ready to use \$1.50

PRUNING TOOLS AND SHEARS

#### **Professional Pruner**

Suitable for the most experienced horticul-Suitable for the most experienced northun-turist. A Seymour Smith product. Drop forged steel construction with honed blades and hollow handles. Nonpinching handles. Soft acting spring and nut lock. 9155—Size 8 in. \$3.65 each 9143—Size 9 in. 4.15 each



#### "Snap-Cut" Pruner

Alloy steel cutlery blade precision ground, expertly polished. Steel spring readies pruner for each cut. Non-pinching, shaped, pressed steel handles. Quick action safety catch. Finger guard positions hand, prevents injury. Bright chromium plate finish.

9144—8 in. (Standard) \$3.25 each
9153—6 in. (Ladies')... 2.60 each

#### **CONTROLS FOR GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD PESTS**

#### Crag Herbicide 1

9322-6 oz.  $60 \notin$ ; 9325- $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.  $90 \notin$ ; 9362-1 lb. \$1.50; 9114-2 lbs. \$2.75

The new "weed preventer" that kills crab-grass and weed seeds as they sprout. Crab-grass never has a chance to become a prob-lem. Weeds are prevented in vegetable and flower gardens, shrubs, evergreens, etc. Easy to apply with sprinkling can or sprayer. No drift hazard. Four ounces treat 1500 sq. ft. of lawn or 3000 sq. ft. of garden.

9395—4 ozs. \$1.50; 9136—1 lb. \$4.50

#### Weedone, Improved

Contains 2, 4-D and 2, 4, 5-T. Kills dandelion, plantain, poison ivy, poison oak, brambles, honeysuckle and over 100 other weeds and woody plants. Does not kill grass. Nonpoisonous to humans and pets. Will not sterilize the soil. Mix with water and spray.

9353—8 ozs. \$1.15; 9205—1 qt. \$3.00

#### Weedone Brush Killer 32

New combination brush killer for brambles, New combination brush killer for brambles, poison ivy, wild cherry, hawthorn and a wide range of other unwanted woody brush. Prevents regrowth from stumps. Does not kill grasses. Highly concentrated; lowest in actual cost. Simple to use. Ready for mixing with water or oil and spraying immediately.

9361—8 ozs. \$1.65

9236—1 qt. (makes 25 gal. spray) 4.00

#### Weedone Crabgrass Killer SODAR

A superior formulation for selectively controlling crabgrass and chickweed which is also effective on nutgrass, foxtail, barnyard grass, etc. Will not injure most lawn grasses (including fine bents), or clover. Fine-leaved fescue grasses should be treated when the outside temperatures are below 80°.

9134—4 oz. can \$1.25
9146—1 lb. can \$3.65

#### **Animal Repellent Rope**

Repels dogs, deer, rabbits and rats. All animals hate the odor. Especially effective in repelling deer. Rope can be used to circle flower beds and shrubs. The aromatic hardwood oils used to saturate this repellent rope are harmless to pets and noninjurious to humans. Resists rain—lasts a long time.

9262—100 foot unit packed in tin \$1.60

#### Mologen

Effectively eliminates moles from lawns, flower and bulb beds within 2 or 3 days. Is easy to use—acts quickly and surely. 9272— $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 70¢; 9193—1 $\frac{1}{2}$  lbs. \$1.45

#### **Chaperone Liquid**

Keeps dogs away from gardens, evergreens, hedges, garbage pails. Effective for 2 to 3 weeks. Does not wash off in the rain.

9244-4 ozs. 90¢; 9242-8 ozs. \$1.30

9174-10 oz. Aerosol Bomb 1.65

#### Stop-Grass

The chemical Grass-Trimmer containing Maleic Hydrazide. Makes grass stay short for months without trimming. Use along edges of lawns, fences, curbs; around trees, flower-beds and other hard-to-mow places.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  ozs. treat 800 ft. strip 6 in. wide. 9305 $-1\frac{1}{2}$  ozs. \$1.00; 9344-4 ozs. \$2.25

#### Flying Disk

Scare away birds, dogs, cats and other pests from your garden. Just a whisper of wind and the FLYING DISK whirls crazily in space emitting bright flashes of reflected sunlight and sharp crackling sounds. Easily strung across area to be protected—or from branches of fruit trees and vines.

9126—package of 10 for 35¢

#### Tree Tanglefoot

This specially prepared, sticky compound This specially prepared, sticky compound makes it absolutely impossible for creeping insects to advance past the section of trunk or vine where it is applied. Noninjurious, Economical, Easy to apply. 1 pound for 12-ft, band, 4 in. wide.

9154—1 lb. \$1.75;

9404—5 lbs. 7.45

#### Black Flag Insect Killer for House and Garden

The new king-size all-purpose push button insect killer for flying and crawling insects INSIDE THE HOME and is equally effective against aphids, Japanese beetles, thrips, etc. IN THE GARDEN.

9365-14 oz. push button bomb \$1.75

Tree Pruner



your needs.
9162—Without
pole and rope,

# \$4.95 each

#### "Snap-Cut" Hedge Shears

New shaped blades and streamlined handles New shaped blades and streamlined handles make this an outstanding hedge shears in looks, performance and durability. Finest cutlery steel, flame hardened blades, precision ground to keen edges. Richly finished, oval hardwood handles. High lift handles provide ample clearance above hedge, protecting operator's hands from scratches. Blades 9 in. long. 9429—\$4.95 each



#### "Snap-Cut" Grass Shear

A new shear with patented automatic "Ten-A new shear with patented automatic "Tension Bar"—keeps proper tension between blades. The tougher the grass the greater the blade tension. Extremely smooth, easy and efficient cutting action. Steel handles fit user's hand and are fitted with comfortable blister proof plastic hand grips. Cutlery steel, keen precision hollow ground blades.

9312—\$2.85 each

## SPRAYERS, DUSTERS and other GARDEN NEEDS



#### **Justrite Compressed Air Sprayer**

The finest 2 gallon sprayer built. Tank all-electric seam welded. Seamless brass pump. Adjustable nozzle for mist, coarse or long distance spray. 9522-\$9.75 each

#### **Dust King Duster**

Precision built duster made entirely of heavy gauge tin with green lacquered finish. Capacity 1 quart. Over-all length 42½ in. Dust chamber 4½ in. leng, 4 in. in diameter. Can be adjusted to dust at any angle without stooping.

9428—\$3.65 each

#### Pestmaster Duster



practically no effort. 9316—\$9.95 each
9121—15 in. extension tube

A new all metal hand operated rotary duster weighing only 1½ lbs. Unsurpassed for dusting roses, flowers, shrubs and garden crops. Throws an 8 ft. dust stream with

attachment 90¢



Streamlined sprayer with solid copper tank, capacity 1 quart, and seamless brass pump.
Will not corrode; will give years of wear.
9413—\$6.85 each

#### Insect-O-Gun

6 gallon capacity. Attaches to garden hose. Water pressure does the work. Automatic valve stays on or off as set. Open air mixing, nonclogging, sprays any material you mix with water to apply. Quart mason jar attached.

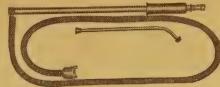
9192—\$6.25 each

#### Gro-Gun

20 gallon capacity. Attaches to garden hose. Water pressure does the work. Spread the popular water soluble fertilizers and plant foods. For high volume application.

9111—\$3.10 each





#### **Smith Speedex** Garden and Tree Sprayer

Solid brass double action pump works free and easy. Easily taken apart. Equipped with 5 ft. spray hose with heavy bucket strainer which strains all solutions before entering pump. Brass nozzle instantly adjustable to coarse spray or long distance spraying. Brass 12 in. extension rod with angle end for underleaf spraying is also included.

9434—\$10.35 each

#### Sprinkler | and Powder Duster

Spray bulb made of the fin-Spray bulb made of the finest seamless rubber; metal parts of brass. For instant filling, remove head. Ideal for use in the home for watering plants, newly planted seed, sprinkling laundry. Special attachment for dusting; also gooseneck attachment for underleaf use. 9343—8 oz. size \$1.50 each

9343-8 oz. size \$1.50 each 9342—12 oz. size 2.10 each



#### Hole-in-One **Planter**

Plant setter and bulb planter. This handy tool makes a hole in one operation. Merely cut the tool into the soil, remove tool into the soil, remove it with a slight twisting motion and the soil comes with it, leaving a clean hole in which plants or bulbs may be set. 9264—\$1.15 each

#### Spring Tooth Magic Weeder

One of the most popular garden tools. Light one of the inost popular garden tools. Eight in weight, comfortable handle measuring 5½ in. by 1½ in. Weeder 10 in. long over-all. A unique device brings tines closer together so that weeding can be done between closely spaced plants.

9203—50¢ each

#### Pot and Garden Labels

Wooden, Painted	P	er 100	1000
9213- 4" long; 5%" wide.		.\$0.80	\$5.25
9212 - 5" long; 5%" wide.		85	5.65
9214- 6" long; \( \frac{5}{8} \)" wide.		90	6.20
$9151 - 8'' \text{ long}; \frac{7}{8}'' \text{ wide}.$			
9351-12" long; $1\frac{1}{8}$ " wide		. 2.75	23.00

500 or more of the same size labels may be ordered at the 1000 rate

#### **Permarkers**

The garden marker which meets all the exacting labeling requirements of discriminating gardeners. Will last for years. Labels are made of durable light green plastic. Writing remains legible for years. Ordinary soft lead pencil may be used. Labels are sup-ported by a 14 in., rigid, durable non-corrosive, bethanized steel sup-port. Support has anchor which prevents turning and dislodgment

9196-10 Permarkers \$1.65 9175— 25 Permarkers 3.75 9176-100 Permarkers 13.00



#### Hotkaps

Ideal Method of Plant Protection

Excellent to protect early plants or seeds against frost, rain, wind and insects. Maintain perfect mulch, promote sturdy growth, increase yield and bring crops to maturity 2 to 3 weeks earlier. Inexpensive to buy. Easy to set out; directions on package. Really an individual hothouse for every plant. Made of waxed paper.

9423—Homegarden size contains 20 Hotkaps and a paper setter for only \$1.25 9518—100 Hotkaps for 4.25 9519—250 for 7.65

The 100 and 250 packages contain a fibreboard setter



#### Garden Trowel

De luxe quality trowel with super-sharp point for penetration. Made of heavy steel. Blade is 6 in. long and is permanently fas-tened in smooth hardwood handle. Strong. 9251—85¢ each

#### Vita Plant Bands

Square open bottom pots of waterproof mold-resistant fibre treated with nutrients to assure vigorous, well-balanced growth of seedlings early in season. Roots are not disturbed when young plants are transplanted into the garden from bands, thus no shock or setback to plant.

9256—Package of 30 (2x2x2½ in.) for 35¢



Green Thumb Gloves

Made from a special Made from a special vinyl plastic treated fabric that keeps dirt from coming through on your hands yet permits the hands to breathe while you work. Besides giving you this protection from soil stains, bruises and

stains, bruises and scratches, the vinyl treatment makes the gloves wear several times longer. Gloves are washable.

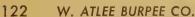
9132 Men's, Full Size....\$1.00 per pair

Ladies' Sizes 9295-Small. Medium..... \$1.00 per pair 9293-Large.

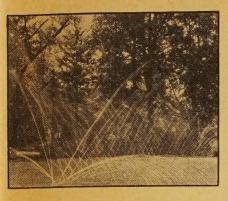
State size wanted when ordering.

#### "Twist-ems"

Strong, dark green tapes with wire reinforcing that make perfect plant ties-promake perfect plant ties—protect stems, support plants, vines, shrubs and vegetables. Quick, neat and permanent; eliminate unsightly twine or raffia. 9274—Box of 100 Twist-ems (8 in. long) 35¢ 9273—Box of 100 Twist-ems (16 in. long) 65¢ 9265—250 ft. spool \$1.10



#### GARDEN ACCESSORIES ALL SENT PREPAID anywhere in U. S.



#### Supplex Flexible Sprinkler

Seamless triple tube of tough vinyl plastic, with hundreds of openings on the upper side for sprinkling water at exactly calculated angles. Turn it over and use as a soaker around trees, shrubs, flower and vegetable gardens, etc., without touching foliage. Can be curved in and out. Will not mildew or rot.

9363-25 ft. length with reel \$4.00



An invention that protects your shrubbery from the menace of destructive corrosive action caused by dogs. Makes the dog's visit to plants so uncomfortable that he keeps away. Will not harm the animal. Rustproof, flexible, almost invisible, steel spring wires. Will not tear clothing of passersby. Each Shrub-Gard protects approximately 2½ lineal feet.

9431—1 doz. packed to carton \$4.25

#### Gro-Quick

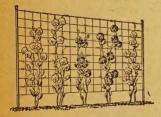
Electric Seed Bed Heater

Soil heating cable with thermo-Soil heating cable with thermostat. An inexpensive method of heating hotbeds or cold-frames for early starting of seeds. Temperature controlled. With care will last many years. Instructions are included with every heater.

9181—Junior size for 3 x 6 ft. hotbed or 25 sq. ft. coldframe \$6.75



or 25 sq. ft. coldframe \$6.75
9185—Senior size for 6 x 6 ft. hotbed
or 50 sq. ft. coldframe \$9.00



#### Train-etts

#### New Weatherized Trellis Netting

Grow finer, larger sweet peas, garden peas, pole beans, cucumbers, tomatoes, etc. Use instead of wire or string. Wire gets hot in sun and burns delicate tendrils, retarding growth. String is tedious to tie, often rots, causing plants to fall to ground. TRAIN-ETTS do not rot—last for several seasons.

Can be hung without fuss or bother.

9283—5 ft. high x 6 ft. long 75¢

9282—5 ft. high x 8 ft. long \$1.00

9284—5 ft. high x 15 ft. long 1.45

#### **Bloomlife**

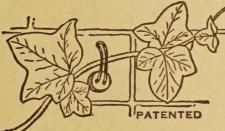
Keeps cut flowers fresh days longer because it contains EXTRA hormones to give more moisture to petals, leaves and stems.

9354—1 pkt. (makes two qts.) 10¢;
9296—26 quart size \$1.00



Cuts and holds stem in one easy snip. Avoid dangerous thorn pricks and messy, sticky fingers. A thrilling new convenience for every gardening enthusiast. Sturdily constructed of rustless, stainless cutlery steel. An ideal gift. May also be used for trimming fruit, especially separating grape clusters.

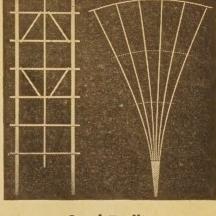
9194—\$2.30 each



#### **Wayward Vine Guide** and Support

For training and supporting ivy, roses, and all trailing vines on brick, stone and cement walls without defacing. Available in two colors, gray or red.

9253—20 Gray, including cement \$1.00
9165—20 Red, including cement 1.00



#### Steel Trellis

Sturdily constructed trellises made from 16-gauge channel steel dipped in heavy outside gloss white enamel. Far superior to wood for durability and upkeep. Light in weight. Shipped prepaid from factory.

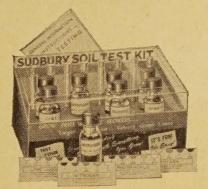
#### **Burpee Straight Trellis**

The two outside uprights are 1½ in. wide, center upright ¾ in. wide. Shipped knocked down, complete with bolts and instructions for assembling in a few minutes. 7 ft. high, 9539-\$5.75 each

#### **Burpee Fan Shaped Trellis**

Made of same materials as above but fan shaped with top spread of 54 in., 7 ft. high. Shipped partly assembled—a few minutes only required to have ready for use.

9541—\$6.25 each



Sudbury Soil Test Popular Garden Model

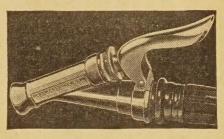
#### **Sudbury Soil Testing Outfits**

Have outstanding success with everything you grow—find out what is wrong with your soil. Easy to use instructions—no knowledge of chemistry needed—as simple as reading a thermometer. Shows the right plant foods to put on every part of your garden. Results are apparent immediately.

9173-Horticultural Model 15.95 29.95 -Super De Luxe Model.



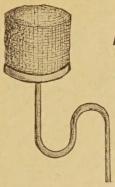
Neegards—described at right



#### **Lever Spray Hose Nozzle**

Chrome plated, rust-proof, instantly controlled in the palm of the hand. By pressing the lever one can get the desired amount of water in a mist spray or stream form. In releasing the lever the nozzle is immediately shut off. An adjustable thumb screw will lock the lever into any position desired.

9201-\$1.50 each



#### **Asbestos Torch**

Most practical and satisfactory device for burning cater-pillars, worms and other tree pests. Can be easily attached to any pole. Dip torch in kerosene and light.

9255—\$1.15 each

#### Neegards

Modern Knee Protector

Protect your knees and work in comfort with Neegards. Ideal for both men and women while working in garden or in the home. Flexible form fitting sponge rubber reinforced on wearing surface. Adjustable elastic for comfort. Designed for maximum comfort and long wearing durability.

9233—\$2.25 per pair

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Pygmy Marigold

4434 Pygmy Mixed Marigolds NEW THIS YEAR Delightful blend of the popular dwarf Pygmy type that blooms from early summer until frost. Veritable mounds of color 6 to 8 in. high. Remains compact. Pkt. 25¢; ½ 80z. \$1.00; ½ 0z. \$1.90

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